

Bedford County Teachers' Institute

The sixtieth annual Teachers' Institute was convened in the union school building, at Bedford, Monday, December 14, at 2 p. m. The persons on the platform were Prof. Lloyd H. Hinkle, County Superintendent of Bedford County; Rev. Dr. H. E. Wileand, pastor of the Bedford Lutheran Church; Prof. J. Dale Diehl, Teacher of Music and History in the Bedford High School; Dr. S. D. Fess, Representative in Congress from Ohio; Dr. Frank E. Baker, Principal of the Edinboro State Normal School; and Dr. Nathan C. Schaeffer, Superintendent of Public Instruction for the State of Pennsylvania.

After an overture by the orchestra, the song was rendered: "Come Thou Almighty King." Rev. Dr. Wileand conducted the devotional exercises using as his lesson the 12th chapter of Romans. Another song followed.

The institute was then opened formally by a splendid address by Prof. Hinkle. In his speech there was a note of enthusiasm and optimism, which could not but foretell progress and success in the future development of the educational interests of the county. Special attention was called to the importance and seriousness of the work before the teachers and the needs and ideals of the schools of the county.

"The pupils coming up through our schools," Mr. Hinkle said, "must learn not only how to make a living but how to live a strong serviceable life." The work of the teacher in maintaining the standards of intellectual development was a phase of his subject which also received able treatment.

At the close of his address Prof. Hinkle introduced Prof. Diehl, who had been chosen to direct the music of the session. The ability of Mr. Diehl in this direction could not be questioned by anyone in the audience after he had directed his first number. The enthusiasm with which he entered his work won for him at once the confidence of all.

A period of hearty singing was spent and then Dr. Fess greeted the assemblage. By his first few sentences this man spontaneously won the esteem of his whole audience and by an address, intensely interesting and unusually instructive, held their closest attention until the last word had been spoken.

Mr. Fess believes that the teachers' institute, as conducted in Pennsylvania, serves, as no other agency can, to place the educational work of the county and state before the public; and to acquaint the public with the processes and standards of the schools.

For half an hour the audience was held with an account of the achievement of the American people along various lines of commercial work. Banking, railroading, building of cities, and the giant work of constructing the Panama Canal were shown to be achievements in which our country leads the world. But the greatness of the country was shown to be not in the accomplishments of the country but in the individuals of the country. The strength of the nation lies not in the popular person but in the sturdy and capable people. Wise people, Mr. Fess said in closing, come from the children who are now in our public schools. Their destiny and the destiny of the country therefore is in the hands of the teachers.

Song: "Robert of Lincoln."

Prof. Frank E. Baker was introduced; he spoke on the subject: "Motive in the Recitation." Mr. Baker explained first the cause for the many attempts to introduce into the recitation new methods and plans. These are an effort to adjust the school to the changing social conditions. The weakness of the public school is that it lacks the motive force found in society. There has been in the teaching of the past but very little motive outside that provide externally by the urging of the teacher or the mere desire to get the lessons through with and the day's routine finished.

Any study to be a motive study must be selective. That is the pupil must be led to accept that which will be of benefit and reject that which will not. Guidance in this selection depends on the ideals set up by the teacher. In reading, for instance, there must be the motive for bringing feeling and life and color into the recitation. An internal motive based upon the utility of the subject is never obtained when text books prepared for city pupils are used in the country, and pupils are taught banking and insurance and brokerage when they should be taught to calculate the percentage composition of fertilizers. In twenty years we will be teaching our pupils just those things which will function immediately in their lives. The idea of culture is changing and pupils will be taught not to fall in love with much information but with great purposes. Another example is in the case of the teaching of the same course to boys and girls. This should be changed. Agriculture should be taught to the boys while the chemistry of cooking should be taught to the girls. Each would then receive what they could use in their own lives and the motive

would be supplied.

Roll call. Five persons out of the total of 340 were absent.

A song, "The Circus Parade," was sung and following this the State Superintendent was introduced. Dr. Schaeffer spoke of the great process of standardization sweeping over the country. The professions of law, medicine, dentistry, etc., and such schools as West Point and Annapolis require a preliminary training of four years work in a High School. There are forty vocations which require this high school training and if a pupil drops out of the race before graduation he becomes ineligible for any of them. Teaching is in this catalog. When the person drops out he loses the greater part of the benefit of a complete course. He is left in a blind alley. There are too many schools which lead nowhere. The American schools form an educational ladder upon which any boy or girl may climb to a place of prominence no matter what his position, and take up any one of those forty occupations.

Tuesday Forenoon

Tuesday morning the institute was opened promptly at 9 o'clock by the Superintendent.

Singing: "Schumann."

Devotional exercises by Rev. Wileand who read the lesson from the first chapter of St. John.

Singing: "A Soldier of the Sunshine," a song written by S. B. Stambaugh, the cornetist of the institute orchestra.

Dr. Schaeffer spoke on the subject: "Bible Reading in the Public Schools."

The origin and history of our bible was carefully traced and things of interest told concerning the different translations from which came the bible of the present day. The King James version was revised because of the obsolete words which it contained and also because older manuscripts have been found. The legislature demands that a portion of the Scriptures be read each day in each public school of the Commonwealth but it does not prescribe the version to be used. The purpose of this is to provide moral uplift and spiritual value and so selective passages should be used.

Singing: "Harvest Moon," a very beautiful song also composed by Mr. Stambaugh.

Dr. Fess brought another message of extraordinary interest and value. He drew from history the stories of a number of poor boys who, starting with nothing or having positive handicaps, rose to become the leaders of the nation. George Peabody, Fred Douglass, and Henry Wilson were sketched to show what the secure and utilization of opportunity can do for a youth.

Some person inspired each one of these lives to strive for the greatest attainable. The great work of the teacher of history is to make the lives of such persons as these serve as inspiration, that the pupil will catch the spirit of the life and so acquire a great purpose and a mighty determination. The greatest teacher is he who can cause the pupils to go on with the work which has been started in their lives after they cease to be under the influence of that teacher.

Recess of five minutes.

Singing: "Swing Away."

Announcements.

Dr. Baker lectured upon the subject: "The Rural School." He said that the county superintendent could do most for the cause of education when he got the rural school vision. One of the greatest problems of the country is the problem of the decaying country life. Many great men of the country, James F. Hill and Theodore Roosevelt, are endeavoring to solve it. The increased cost of living is causing a great many people to think upon this problem. The best of the young people are leaving the country and going to the cities not because there is less hard work there but because the country offers too few of the advantages to be obtained in the cities. The country is the place to raise boys and girls. But we are educating them away from it instead of toward the farm. And this is nothing less than a national calamity.

Mr. Baker then drew a picture of the typical country school house and showed that there was no attempt to use any of the great assets of the country. The city school enjoys music and books and the country school is just as deserving. The purpose of teaching agriculture is to bring farming into the schools and glorify it. The pupils must be made to see that the best brains and bodies are required to do this work.

Ten the country school must become a social unit. A school too small for this is no good for anything. Play is a great need. The country schools of forty years ago were better institutions than those of today because they usually contained forty or fifty pupils and became the social centers of the communities. There were the spelling bees, debating clubs and singing parties.

Persons interested in this problem were advised to get Kern's "Among Rural Schools," Grim & Co., publishers.

(Continued next week.)

Word Contest Closed

The Missing Word Contest closed yesterday, December 17. It will take some time to make the tabulations. We will speed the work as much as we can and make the report in a later issue.

The missing word for Page 1 last week was argue in George T. Jacobs & Bro. ad.

The missing word for Page 2 last week was emaculate in City Cigar and Smokers' Supply Store ad.

Page 3 the missing word was experiences in George O. Farber's ad.

PERSONAL NOTES

People Who Move Hither and Thither in This Busy World.

Messrs. William and Eli Snyder of Monroe attended County Institute this week.

Mrs. Mary A. Jeffords left last Friday for Pittsburgh, where she will spend the winter.

Messrs. John Rock of Schellsburg and H. J. Hilegass of Point were callers at The Gazette office yesterday.

Mrs. L. D. Blackwelder, Mrs. George Points, Mrs. J. C. Smith and Miss Jessie Barclay were visitors in Altoona Friday.

Mr. Philip Snyder of Monroe arrived on Monday with the teachers from the West. Cannot say with what teacher or teachers he came.

Mrs. George Mardorf has returned to her home here, after a few days' visit with her daughter, Mrs. Edna Mardorf Rupert, in Huntingdon.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Grazer of Warrior's Mark spent several days here this week with the latter's father, Mr. George R. Shuck.

Mr. Alexander Russell, a student at Bucknell University, Lewisburg, is spending his holiday vacation here with his parents, Attorney and Mrs. James C. Russell.

H. A. Bishara, Esq., of New York, an officer in the Commerce and Labor Department on Ellis Island, spent several days this week here with his brother, Rev. K. A. Bishara.

Mr. M. A. Roudabush, who has been in Ohio for some time, connected with the United States Geographical Survey, has returned to his home near Oberburg, where he will spend the winter.

Rev. and Mrs. J. Albert Eyer and children returned from Lancaster Wednesday evening. All of the regular services will be held in St. John's Reformed Church next Sunday. A Christmas sermon in the morning, a Christmas story in the evening.

Messrs. N. E. Koontz, W. F. Mowry and H. W. Mortimer of Colerain, G. M. Wisegarver, J. F. Reighard, Fred Beegle and little son, of Bedford Township, and William Drenning of West Providence, were callers at our office last Saturday.

Among those who called at The Gazette office while in town this week were Messrs. F. E. McGahey of Defiance, W. A. Miller of Mann's Choice, Fred Mowry and H. E. Adams of Buffalo Mills, Ira Brumbaugh of St. Clairsville, William S. Gephart and George E. Croyle of Cessna, Howard I. Diehl and daughter, Miss Alta, of Mann's Choice, Fred Hoover and C. E. Homan of Saxton, J. N. Wert of Cumberland Valley and Robert Smith of Hopewell.

Huckster Has Narrow Escape

Willot Allison, a well-known huckster of Alum Bank, had an experience with a highwayman Monday night that almost resulted seriously. Having collected produce from his route in the western part of the county he left the home of Harry Pette near Wolfburg and was proceeding to Bedford to spend the night. Nearing the colored graveyard, about two miles west of Bedford, about 9 o'clock, he saw a man standing by a sign post but drove on. Mr. Allison was driving two horses in a covered sled and did not hear or see anyone approaching, but hearing a shot tearing through the side covering of the sled, the bullet grazing Mr. Allison's right ear, he threw himself down on the seat of the sled.

The horses became frightened and ran, the man following for some distance, but evidently seeing that the animals were under control, decided that he had not wounded his intended victim and gave up the chase.

Mr. Allison came to Bedford, and with some friends returned to the scene of the attempted hold-up. They were able to trace the man quite a distance, but were compelled to discontinue on account of the storm and depth of snow.

Union Chorus Announcement

Acting upon the decision of the pastors for a Union Christmas service, will all persons who participated in the Hamilton-Gould Chorus, please be present in the Lutheran Church of Bedford, Sunday, December 20, at 1:45 p. m. Bring the red song book used in the meetings, also your church hymnal.

S. H. Koontz, Chairman.

C. R. Grissinger, Secretary.

Mrs. William Howser

Mrs. Susan, wife of William Howser, died at her home at Rainsburg on Monday, December 7, aged 42 years, 10 months and 22 days. She is survived by her husband and 10 children: Melissa, Myra, Tom, Dewey, Carrie, Harold, Ada, Nellie, Carl and Ethyl. She is also survived by her father, Samuel Bartholow, of Chambersville, three sisters and two brothers: Mrs. Frank Bennett, Mrs. James Bridges, Clay and Lewis Bartholow, and Mrs. George Ehlers of Johnstown. The funeral service was held in the M. P. Church near Rainsburg, conducted by Rev. John Bennett of Artemas. Interment was in the Union Cemetery.

MENTIONED IN BRIEF

Many Items of Interest From Town and County.

Feed the birds these hard days, especially the quail.

Many directors were present at the Directors' Convention—88.

Merrie Christmas post cards, high grade and unusual, at ye Little Antique Shop.

The Union Christmas service will be held Friday evening, December 25, at 7:30 o'clock.

A barn on the farm of B. Scott Gordon at Robinsonville was destroyed by fire last week.

In the Bedford Public School report published two weeks ago, the name, Margaret Bortz, should have appeared among those on the honor roll in room No. 8.

Marriage licenses were issued in Cumberland this week to Charles Keller of West End and Nellie L. Shearer of Buffalo Mills, and John Elsworth Chisholm of Hopewell and Pearl Elizabeth Fox of Juniata.

Nothing like receiving a bank check of goodly size just in time for Christmas. You shall have it next year by following the savings plan offered by the Hartley Banking Company and explained in the advertising section of this issue.

The Grange mill building, occupied by Clarence S. Mickel as a machinery and implement store at Osterburg, was discovered on fire Saturday night. The flames, from some unknown origin, gained such headway that practically nothing could be saved. Mr. Mickel's loss is great and is about half covered by insurance. Machinery, farming implements, a carload of binder twine and many other articles were consumed.

Thomas and Sadie Shope, residing on the big farm of Attorney George Points, won the prize for the largest family attending the big Tabernacle meeting on family night. There are 14 in the family. Oldest child 18 years and youngest three months, and all were present. The youngest was named Woodrow Wilson. Mr. Shope wears a Roosevelt button. It took three teams to bring the family to the Tabernacle.

LIST OF JURORS

Drawn for Next Term of Court Which Will Convene Monday, Jan. 18.

On Saturday Sheriff Grant Dodson and Jury Commissioners William Drenning of West Providence and Josiah Hissong of Point, with H. C. Hoover of Springhouse as clerk, drew the names of the following jurors from the wheel to serve at the next session of court which will convene Monday, January 18, 1915:

Grand Jurors

Benjamin Fisher and Robert Cuppet, Mann's Choice; O. G. Stapleton, Saxton; John Gates, Bedford Borough; Samuel Smith, Bloomfield; B. P. Bichelberger, Everett; Robert Clark, Bedford Borough; M. B. Colledge, Providence Township; Giles Hengst, Kimmell; Henry Chamberlain, West Providence; Guy Hengst, East St. Clair; J. S. Clingerman, Mann; Elmer Croyle, Union; Walter Allen, Bedford Borough; Lloyd K. Beegle, Everett; Ambrose Barnes, Mann; S. Howard Gump, Everett; Samuel Riddle, King; Edward Steele, Hopewell Township; Henry Croyle, East St. Clair; W. E. Shoemaker, Harrison; Daniel R. Miller, Snake Spring; Andrew Baker, South Woodbury; E. E. Devore, Bedford Township.

Petit Jurors—First Week

Bedford Borough, W. E. Beam, William F. Cromwell, Luther Milburn, W. E. Shoemaker; Bedford Township, William Morehead, A. D. Morehead, Hezekiah Mock; Bloomfield, John Longenecker; Broad Top, Isaac Cook; Colerain, Francis Beegle, Roy Koontz, John E. Diehl; Everett, H. B. Robinet; David F. Means, George Winter; Hopewell Borough, Albert Dolan, William T. Edmonson; Hopewell Township, Charles Bungegardner; Hyndman, Clay Shafer, Otto Henscke; Juniata, William Corley, Marion Burket, D. S. A. Tomlinson; Kimmell, Henry Helsel; King, W. B. Weyant; Liberty, C. M. Hoffman; Lincoln, A. C. Ellis; Londonderry, David Devore, Charles Peiffer; Monroe, Conda Weimer, Francis Mills; Napier, Roy S. Mowry; Providence, James H. Chamberlain; Rainsburg, William Wilson; St. Clairsville, Henry Geisler; St. Clair West, Samuel Stiff; Union, Henry Cori; Woodbury Borough, Jacob Ritter, Cyrus Over; Woodbury South, A. R. Rock, A. N. Walters, Jacob Sell.

Petit Jurors—Second Week

Bedford Borough, Neilson Horne; Bedford Township, Emanuel Hemming, John Yont, Roy Imler, John C. Pierson; Bloomfield, Harry Appleman; Broad Top, J. M. Thomas; Caidale, John R. Thomas; Colerain, Elias Diehl; Cumberland Valley, J. W. Deremer; Everett, George Smith, C. H. Wagner, J. W. Poe, John Adams; Harrison, George A. Turner, Walter Elder, Washington Barclay; Hopewell Borough, Jacob A. Benner; Hopewell Township, Edgar R. Smith; Hyndman, Elmer Adams; Kimmell, Joseph Cox; King, Harry C. Claycomb; Liberty, J. A. Stoler, Harry Waltz; Lincoln, Wilson Mock; Mann's Choice, Melvin Bittlebrum; Monroe, Walter Steckman; Napier, Isaac Blackburn, Nathan H. Risling, Thomas Hughes; Providence East, William Whitfield; Providence West, Walter Trux, Boyd S. Jackson, Charles McFarland; Saxton, William H. Moses, Andrew Zick; Schellsburg, J. E. Loken; Snake Spring, E. Tison Price; Southampton No. 3, William Beck; St. Clair East, Samuel B. Way; Woodbury Township, Howard Over; Woodbury South, H. R. Shoberger.

436 Persons Take Their Stand for Christ in the Revival Campaign

Meetings Closed Sunday Evening at the Mid-Night Hour With Spiritual Fervor at High Tide. Dr. Hamilton and his Helpers Receive \$1,180 in Free-Will Offerings

Despite the fact that the Hamilton and Gould Tabernacle meetings began, and ended in a severe storm, and that with the exception of only one week, the weather conditions throughout the entire campaign were most unfavorable, the meetings were remarkably successful. To tabulate the results of this Revival Campaign is an impossible task. That 436 persons have been influenced to accept Christ, and line up for an active Christian life, is indeed gratifying, but this by no means represents all that has been accomplished in these meetings.

The many homes that have been made brighter and happier; the spiritual quickening of the churches, and the reconsecration of so many of their members; the splendid exhibition of the spirit of Christian unity, witnessed in the members of all Protestant churches working together for a full month without the least manifestation of discord or jealousy; the bringing of such large numbers of unsaved people under the influence of the gospel, and the plain and forceful presentation to them of the great truths of salvation; the higher civic and moral as well as religious ideals that have been held up before the community; the ban that has been placed upon worldly amusements, together with the emphasis given to the necessity for positive, earnest and consistent Christian living upon the part of those professing to be Christians—all of these things are influences and forces that will work out for good through the months and years to come. As a result of all this our churches and our community are destined to be better than ever before.

A sufficient testimony to the wide spread interest of these meetings was seen in the fact that notwithstanding the heavy fall of snow at day Sunday, and up to a late hour Sunday night, the Tabernacle was well filled for both the morning and the evening service. Never will this day's services be forgotten by those who were present. Dr. Hamilton's sermon in the morning was upon the "Divine Amphitheatre," from Hebrews 12: 1, "Wherefore seeing we also are compassed about by so great a cloud of witnesses." Vividly he described the old Roman amphitheatre, in the arena of which the early Christians were made to fight with the hungry lions for the amusements of the spectators, who were seated in the terraced galleries, and who by their cheers and applause gave courage and strength to the victors below. By analogue he drew the picture of Jesus and the angels and the patriarchs and prophets and martyrs and all the hosts of the redeemed and blood-washed, including our own dear loved ones, who have preceded us to the skies, and as the occupants of the heavenly galleries are looking down upon us, and by the inspiring of their spiritual presence, cheering us on in our conflicts with the lions of temptation and trial. Few were the eyes that were not moistened by the eloquence and pathos of this graphic and helpful sermon.

In the evening Dr. Hamilton spoke from Mark 12: 34, "Thou art not far from the kingdom of God." With special tenderness and earnestness and with irresistible logic, he appealed to those who through the progress of the meetings had been brought near to the kingdom of God in opportunity or thought or desire, to step into the kingdom and be saved. The spirit of God seemed to be mightily present in this closing service, and in response to the tender and protracted appeals of Dr. Hamilton and the persistent efforts of the personal workers, 52 persons came to the front in token of their surrender to God.

After announcements by the pastors, the presentation of the financial reports, and some words of appreciation and farewell from the various members of the evangelistic party, the Tabernacle meeting was formally closed.

Personnel of the Evangelistic Party

Without exception the members of the evangelistic party in this revival campaign have commended themselves to the people of our town and community. Dr. Hamilton, who was but little known to our people before coming here, carries with him the unstinted praise of the whole community. He is a man of commanding appearance, singularly free from any objectionable statements or methods in his work, a preacher of unusual ability and power, thoroughly devoted to the work of saving souls, a good organizer, alert, tactful and untiring in his efforts, a Christian gentleman concerning whom there can be no word of reproach. Many persons who have heard the other leading evangelists

Early Thursday morning, December 3, Mrs. Hannah, wife of Augustus Snyder, died at her home in Duncansville, after an illness of four weeks. Death was due to paralysis. Deceased was aged 70 years, seven months and 20 days. Her maiden name was Weaverling, and she was born at Everett. Besides her husband, she is survived by one son, William, of Duncansville; also by three brothers, Thomas of Bedford, Alexander of Huntingdon and George Weaverling of Everett. The funeral service was conducted in the Lutheran Church at Duncansville Saturday afternoon December 5.

Mrs. Augustus Snyder

The services at the Methodist Church next Sunday will be of special interest. Sunday School at 9:45 a. m., at which new members are expected. At the preaching service at 11 o'clock new members will be received by letter and upon probation. The Junior Epworth League will be resumed at 2 o'clock and the Senior League at 6:30 with public service at 7:30 o'clock. All the converts who have expressed a preference for this church will be expected to be present next Sunday.

lists of our day, say that Dr. Hamilton is cause for congratulation.

Prof. C. B. Gould, the musical director, is a splendid second to Dr. Hamilton in his work. The ease with which he held his large chorus together, and the kindly manner with which he maintained his hold upon the audience, as well as the chorus, from the beginning to the end of the meetings, has been the subject of much favorable comment. His solos ton is the peer of any of them, and freely predict that in a short time he will be as much in demand, and loom up as large in the popular thought as any man now in the evangelistic field. That the people of Bedford have been privileged to have this revival under the leadership of such a splendid man have also been greatly appreciated, while his work with the Booster Chorus has contributed in no small degree to the success of the meetings, and has given him a warm place in the hearts of the boys and girls by whom he will be long and kindly remembered.

As a pianist and personal worker, and general all around helper, Mr. Fath has acquitted himself most creditably, and has won the confidence and esteem of our people to a remarkable degree. An accomplished musician, a college graduate, a devoted student of the Bible, and an efficient personal worker, he is a valuable acquisition to the evangelistic party.

Deserving of special mention is the work of Mrs. Ellen Shumaker, the only lady worker of the party. A Christian woman of refinement and culture and pleasing personality, and a former worker with Dr. Biederwolf, she is well qualified for service. Her work with the High School girls, with the girls at the factory, and at the laundry, her visits to the jail, and her personal work in the audience, as well as her addresses at the women's meetings Thursday and Sunday afternoons, brought results that would not have otherwise been realized. The closing service in the series of women's meetings held in the Methodist Church last Sunday afternoon, spoken of as being especially noteworthy, Mrs. Shumaker goes from us with appreciation and best wishes of all who have learned to know her, and influence of her work.

Of this entire quartette of evangelistic workers we believe that the words of Paul in second Timothy 2: 15 are applicable, viz: that they are workmen approved unto God, needing not to be ashamed, rightly dividing the word of truth.

Financial Feature of the Campaign

To many persons the financial features of this campaign seemed at the outset to be the biggest problem. That this has been so easily and so generously cared for evidences the appreciation of our people over the extent and the character of the work, and shows what can be done when the people of the community "have a mind to work," and become as much interested in the things that make for the moral and spiritual uplift of the community, as in the things that are purely secular, and of times demoralizing. The net expenses of the revival campaign were about twelve hundred dollars; the total of free will offerings given to Dr. Hamilton and his helpers upon last Sabbath run up to nearly a like amount. That these amounts should have been so freely given by the people of Bedford shows that the spirit of Christian liberality is not yet dead in the hearts of our people. How many times this amount of money goes out from our town, or from other towns, to parties or to causes, which, if not purely detrimental, at least give nothing of real value to the community in return. Blessed are the people whose purses open so freely to the things that minister to the moral uplift and betterment of the community, as to the things that pander only to the temporary amusement, or to the selfish and sinful gratification of the people of the community.

Union Christmas Service at the Tabernacle

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Oldham-Shawley

Harold Arthur Oldham of Ogle Township, Somerset County, and Miss Myrtle Ivy Shawley of New Paris were married recently at the residence of the officiating magistrate, Justice of the Peace L. D. Sine of Snake Township, Somerset County.

Mrs. Viola F. Wiser

Mrs. Viola Ford Wiser of Hope-

well died at the Nason Hospital, Roaring Spring, Tuesday morning of last week of intestinal perforation, caused by typhoid fever. She was the daughter of Samuel and Emma Ford and was born May 6, 1893. Besides her husband she is survived by her parents. The body was brought to her late home where the funeral service was held on Thursday, December 10.

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Deeds Recorded

Rebecca J. Barton, by executors, to Frank L. Stinnett, lot in Coal Dale; \$835.

Anna O. Gephart et al. to Jacob F. Mickel, 33 acres, 50 perches in West St. Clair; \$1,100.

Henry C. Adams to Jacob F. Mickel, 3 acres, 118 perches in West St. Clair; \$140.15.

Jacob F. Mickel to Lemon J. Mock, 2 tracts in West St. Clair; \$3,000.

Annie E. Baker to Charles B. Herick, lot in Woodbury; \$3,025.

John A. Finnegan to Bruce Morehead, 157 acres, 154 perches in Kimmel; \$4,500.

U. F. Rohm to Evan Worthing, 80.8 acres in Broad Top; \$300.

Maria E. Young et al. to John E. Williams, lot in Hopewell; \$900.

Glen C. Eichelberger to John E. Williams, tract in Broad Top; \$160.

W. H. Clouse to Sarah D. Albright, 3 acres, 92 perches in Bloomfield; \$214.50.

George W. Figard, by trustee, to Richard Brown, lot in Coal Dale; \$675.

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A. H. Anderson to Anah Mary McElwee, 2 tracts in Broad Top; \$1,500.

Samuel Pennell to Harrison Baker, 104 acres, 91 perches in West Providence; \$3,000.

S. S. Metzger to John H. Jordan, trustee, lot in Bedford; \$20.

Thomas H. Stiffer to Harrison Ickes, 9 acres, 4 perches in Kimmel; \$1,000.

J. K. McCulloh, by trustee, to William L. Fyan, lot in Bedford; \$4,925.

Martin S. Beagle to Michael S. Ritchey, 2 tracts in Snake Spring; \$2,600.

George C. Close to George Evry Close, 2 tracts in Londonderry; \$4,000.

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Y. M. C. A. TO ORGANIZE

A first movement in the formation of a club which, it is hoped, will evolve later into a Y. M. C. A., was initiated Wednesday night when a score of young men met in an office in the Ridenour Block. After hearing the plan upon which it is proposed to form the new organization, all present pledged their enthusiastic support. It was decided that the young men of Bedford should be called to a meeting to be held on the evening of January 4, at which time an organization will be effected.

Prof. J. Dale Diehl was chosen temporary chairman, and Will Beam is acting as temporary secretary. The lines along which the club will be formed, and the objects toward which it will strive were explained to those present by the Rev. Albert Aune of St. James' Protestant Episcopal Church. Mr. Aune is a product of Johns Hopkins University and the General Theological Institute of New York, and has had experience in the forming of men's clubs in Baltimore and Philadelphia.

In his talk to the men Mr. Aune called attention to the triple ideal of the Y. M. C. A., and told why it seemed more advisable at this time to form an organization merely as a men's club governed by Association discipline, rather than to attempt at the start the work of a full-fledged Y. M. C. A.

The Y. M. C. A., the speaker said, stands for the three-fold development of man; that is, the harmonious development of the physical, the mental and the spiritual sides of man's nature. In order to accomplish a creditable amount of work along these three lines an organization must be endowed with a physical plant such as is lacking at this time. Without such a plant, only a part of the work can be attempted.

It was Mr. Aune's idea, however, that a men's club under Y. M. C. A. regulations can be formed in Bedford and made to grow and prosper. Should the success of such a club prove to influence outside that the men of Bedford are ready for a Y. M. C. A., then these influences believe that a property suitable for the purpose can be acquired on the basis of free rental for a time, the property in mind to be donated as soon as the success of the Association is assured. Money, no doubt, could be raised in such a case with which to equip the building.

The discipline of the Association is very simple, Mr. Aune explained, and could be adopted by the club without the curtailment of any of the wholesome pleasures in which men are accustomed to find relaxation. Cigarettes, cards, dancing, intoxicants and profanity, of course, are barred.

In addition, the Association has found it to be to the best interests of its growth and health to place certain restrictions upon its candidates for office. Only men who are members in good standing in evangelical churches are eligible to hold office.

"If, therefore, we have the best interests of the club at heart," Mr.

Aune said, "it would seem natural that we should eagerly embrace the opportunity of conforming to those ideals and regulations which in countless cases have been proved to be sound and enduring."

"Experience has shown us," continued Mr. Aune, "that where the ideals of the Y. M. C. A. have been adhered to, organizations have grown and prospered in comparatively small communities beyond the fondest expectations of their founders. Experience also has shown in thousands of cases, and in several cases in your own town, I am told, that where these principles have not been adhered to, even though the organizations were formed with thoroughly good intent, the bodies have degenerated and become extinct. The growth of the small town club seems to need the wholesome discipline and active striving toward an ideal such as is offered by the Association."

It was also explained that such an organization can thrive only where a large part of the support comes through the personal sacrifices of the community at large. A part of the rent on a room has already been donated, and merchants in Bedford have expressed a willingness to furnish supplies at special prices. Prof. Diehl appointed committees to look into various parts of the proposed work.

PNEUMONIA

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This is the season when pneumonia becomes the chief ally of death and slayers thousands. During the changeable weather when winter sets in and again in the spring, its greatest toll is exacted.

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Men have more of a tendency to the disease than women because of the additional exposure to impure air and hardships which they must endure. Alcoholism is a factor in many cases. The man who indulges in much alcohol is apt to reduce his power of resistance and thereby become susceptible.

Great fatigue should be avoided if possible for it is a predisposing factor in lessening the natural resistance to this and other disease. If you are exposed to rough weather and get wet and cold, take a rub down with a coarse towel and change to dry clothing. Above all avoid stuffy ill-ventilated places where crowds congregate.

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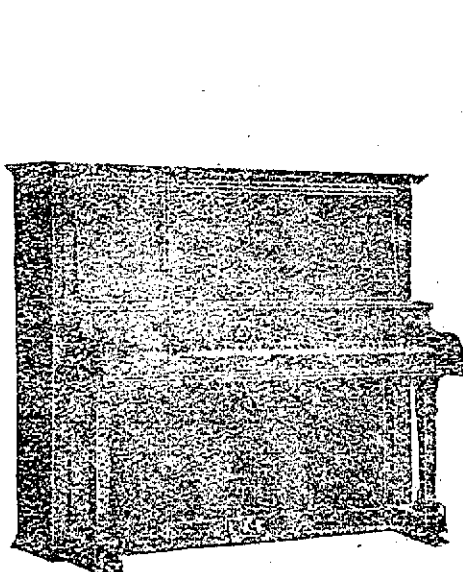
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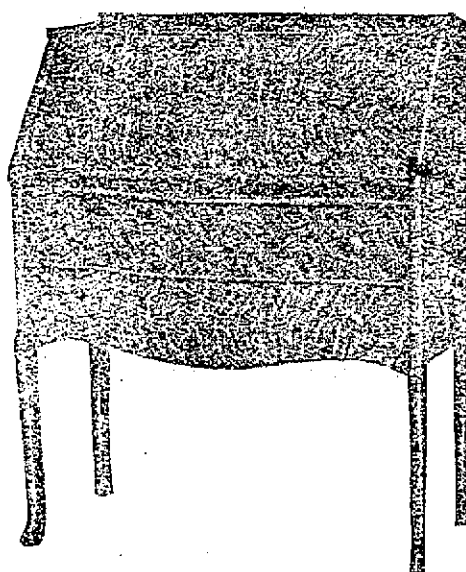
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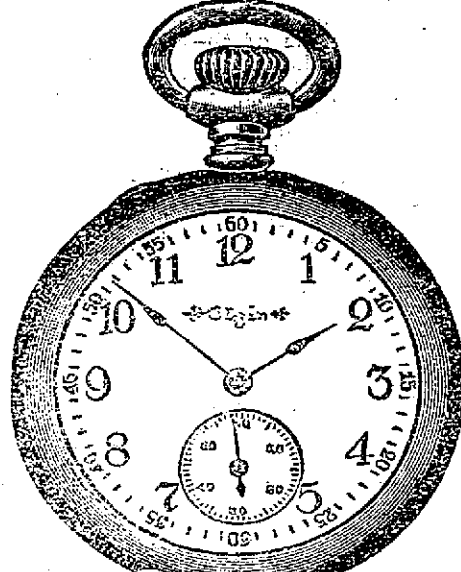
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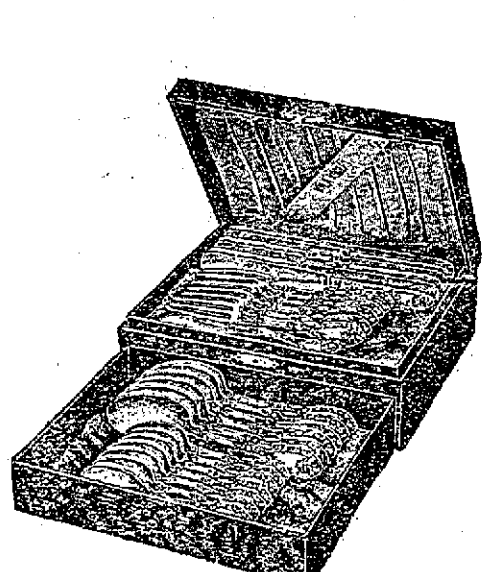
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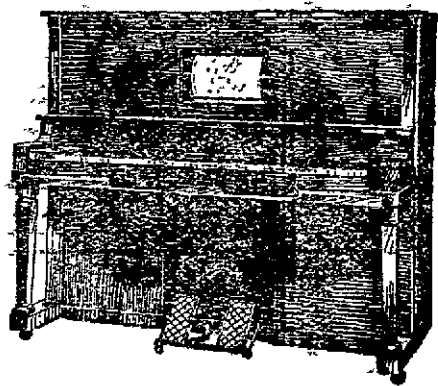
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REFLECTIONS OF THE WAR SEEN IN CLOTHES

Braiding and Buttons on Frocks of Khaki-Colored Cloth a New Note in Smart Fashions

Toques and Sailors of 1830

New York, N. Y., December 14. With the fear of a siege fading farther and farther into the background, Paris, with a characteristic rebound, has turned from the contemplation of business inactivity and darkened streets to the theater, the cafe and renewed commerce.

The large dressmaking establishments which are run by women have not closed. They have been kept open in the face of all the hard times. When there were no gowns to make, the employees were set to work upon the making of bandages and hospital garments, knitting mufflers and socks for the soldiers. In fact, the knitting of something has become such a fad that fashionable women everywhere are knitting.

liked. The principal thing is to know whether it is becoming or not. The Roman striped silks, so popular a short time ago, must be viewed with suspicion, for they are being worn very little even as belts. Instead the girdles of wonderful Chinese and Japanese embroidery are correct and the waistcoats of stripes have given place to those of fur and fur-cloth.

Most of the suits are trimmed with fur, perhaps just a band around the neck and sleeves; possibly narrow bands of it are used around the bottoms of tunics, collars and sashes. One stunning frock had the lower skirt section of a fawn colored broadcloth dress of beaver fur. Another suit had a waist coat of P. J. Lamb and Russian bolinsky was used for trimming bands.

Net and satin are combined into many charming evening frocks, and one developed in this way I have used for an illustration. Cream-colored net is used for the bodice and the pointed tunic. The girdle which goes up in a point in the front, meeting the point of the V-shaped neck, is of coral satin. A wide band of this satin finishes the bottom of the tunic and makes the lower skirt. The simplicity of the materials and development make it especially becoming to the young woman.



Petrograd Blue with Lining of Crimson Gives a Military Look to this Cape.

But as the Germans were driven back from Paris the call for gowns from the outside world leaked through and the designers begin to fulfill the demand.

Quite military are some of these new frocks. One frock seen recently was made of a new fabric on the broadcloth order, with the same high sheen, but a twilled weave in khaki color. The waist was made very simply, and with body and sleeves in one and full length, fitting very closely below the elbow. There was a seam in the back of the waist, and the front was cut in a U shape, which was slit from the under part of the U to the waistline. On either side of this opening, which was filled in with a glimpse of heavy lace, the edges were bound with black braid and large loops of braid and buttons placed about an inch and a half apart to the waistline. A high military collar finished the back of the neck.

The sleeves were trimmed on the under side with smaller loops and buttons from wrist to elbow. The skirt was made with a full long tunic with a very wide band of self-colored velvet around the bottom of it. About six inches of the narrower underskirt showed beneath. The center of the skirt was slit down about twelve inches, the edges bound with the braid and the loops and buttons of braid on either side, corresponding to the placing of the loops on the waist. The whole effect showed the influence which the uniforms of the combatants are having upon the fashions.

Another frock noticeable for its military effect was made of blue cloth and an abundance of gold braid. The present time of year is an excellent one to buy clothes. The freak styles of the early part of the season which looked as though they might really be worthy of attention have been sifted out, and there is not the danger of buying something which will soon be out. Now the stores are beginning to clear out their stock and usually everything is reduced to a fraction of what they were at the beginning of the season.

Bear in mind when buying the new clothes that the various loops and tucks which draped our coats last year are no more—now the straight lines prevail. Bodices and coats fit the shoulders rather plainly, as do the skirts at the hips, although they may flare out at the ankles to four or eight yards.

The tight long sleeve is established and the short kimono sleeve has had its day, although the long sleeve made in this manner is still correct if it fits the lower arm closely. The raglan-cut sleeve is no longer startling, but it is an accepted style which may be bought with impunity, if

Net and Satin are Combined in this Smart Evening Frock

The military effect has kept the capes strongly in evidence and the cape used for evening wear in the illustration is one made of Petrograd blue broadcloth and lined with a deep rich crimson. The fur collar is made of kolinsky, a Russian mink which closely resembles sable.

Another evening frock of white faille silk has a tulle tunic with a band around the bottom of white satin ribbon. This tunic is but a little shorter than the satin underskirt, which is edged with a fringe of glass beads two inches wide.

The sailor hat is very smart, but is changing a little in shape. Now the right side is slightly narrower than the left and the crown is shallower. Some of the small hats look like the hats of an early Victorian period of seventy years ago. Small and perched on the top of a head whose figure is pulled away from the ears they are distinctly quaint. Even the streamers are reappearing in a modified way, and are to be seen on small sailors and toques alike.

A new novel by John Galsworthy, "The Freelanders," begins in the January Scribner. He calls it "a tragedy of the English country-side." An unpublished essay by Robert Louis Stevenson is in this number. It was written for a young man who had asked him about his life work, and contains his reflections and opinions "On the Choice of a Profession." There are also four full-page paintings of Kipling's children by Jessie Wilcox Smith. Mary R. S. Andrew's story "Coals of Fire," promises to be the occasion for all sorts of discussion. Olive Tilford Dargan, whose poems and plays have been received with much favor, contributes a long poem of unusual dignity and distinction, "This War," to the January number.

Concrete is being used for constructing smoke stacks. Four stacks of 185 feet are now erected in the United States.

HECKERMAN LETTER

Actual Experience With Foot and Mouth Disease

Lancaster, December 1.—I have read much about the disease raging in some sections of the country among the cattle and hogs. In some sections this disease has been very severe and very disastrous to the finest herds of the various breeds. I had an opportunity to see a herd of Holsteins killed and I took advantage of the friend's offer to take me out. The tomb made was seven feet deep, seven feet wide and twenty-six feet long. The cattle which were of the finest and best milkers were led down into this grave and were shot one at a time. Then their throats were cut and they were ripped open in the back and this hole filled with quicklime. They were then covered with sand, and it is said, that they would be turned up within thirty days. One of these fine cows had a blister on the end of her tongue. This burst open and other blisters were soon found. Some had blister that looked as if the skin had been torn down on the front of the foot about where the crack is in the hoof. One or two had these blisters on one side of the test. I asked if there was matter in these blisters but no one would or could tell me. Those working with the animals were very careful. The veterinarians were around all the time and they were not anxious to get near. This said that Lancaster County is free of the disease now.

The expense placed on our State is great on account of this foot and mouth disease. Many whose herds have been killed have their barns filled with food intended for the cattle which have been buried. Now the question comes up as to the disposition of all this provender.

While registering in Lancaster a few evenings since I had a young man step up to me and reach out his hand, which was eagerly grabbed by the writer because of the youthful and honest appearing face before me, but I did not know the boy man. He soon said that at home he read The Gazette each week. I asked where his home was. "Ah, yes; you look like a Bedford County school teacher, but your youthful face says to me that you have been at it but a few short years." "Yes, only twelve."

"Why, my dear Mr. Claycomb, Bedford County has dealt very kindly with you as to your youthful appearance and St. Clairsville should be congratulated." He deserves much credit for his success in his chosen profession. He now teaches at Port Deposit, Md. I was at Hanover quite recently. This is not as large as some other towns in souls and bodies, but when it comes to counting cash, bonds, etc., there is no town in the State of its size that has as much money. In

other words Hanover, Pa., is reported to be the wealthiest town of its size in the State and there is no nicer firm to deal with than Erhardt and Conrad. Mr. Erhardt, Sr., has been the buyer for over half a century and his errors are as few in all these years as the fingers on your hand. Yours truly, M. P. Heckerman.

Woman's Home Companion

In the January Woman's Home Companion Ida M. Tarbell, the distinguished journalist, writes a highly entertaining and sensible fact article entitled "What Women Are Really Doing." Rev. Dr. Charles E. Jefferson, pastor of Broadway Tabernacle, New York City, contributes an article on the European war.

Many other articles of interest and practical value are included in the issue and the regular service departments—Better Babies, Fashion, Housekeeping, Cooking, Tower Room, and Entertainment—are thoroughly alive with fresh news and suggestions of great practical value to housekeepers. Art and music features abound, and fiction of reality and vitality is contributed by Kathleen Norris, Grace S. Richmond, Juliet Wilbur Tompkins, Rannie Treaslip Lea, Mary Hastings Bradley, Helen Ward Banks, and Frederick M. Smith.

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Pennsylvania Legislature

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Many men and women, whether their incomes are large or small, find it difficult to "get ahead" financially. They postpone the time when they will start saving to provide for the rainy day because they never seem to have enough spare money to start a bank account. The Christmas Club is a great benefit to the people in this way, for they don't need any more capital to get started than the first small payment, and, after all, the start is the important thing.

The Club opens week of December 28th and runs for fifty weeks, so that each member receives check in time for Christmas shopping. When payments are made regularly the bank allows interest on the account, which is always an encouragement to saving.

A number of plans are offered and members may select one or more of them. In the uniform classes one may pay 50c weekly the total amounting to \$25.00. Another way is what is known as the progressive class, in which the payment increases every week. One of these classes starts at 2c, next week 4c and so on. The 2c progressive Club matures at \$25.50. Then there is a 5c progressive Club maturing at \$63.75. These progressive Clubs may be reversed, starting at the highest amount first and finishing with the lowest. The 5c reducing class starts at \$25.50 and works down to 5c, while the 2c starts at \$1.00 and comes down to 2c as the last payment.

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Local Institute

Local Institute of King Township met Friday evening, December 4, 1914, at the Osterburg school. The large attendance showed the interest which was felt in the institute.

The institute was opened with devotional exercises by Rev. Zinn. Song No. 25 in Scripture; minutes of last meeting were then read and approved; Recitation, Iva Mason; Reading, Florence Hochard. Topic on "School Virtues" was discussed by Park Berkeimer. Reading, David Berkeimer; Recitation, Fay Ehredt; Solo, Pearl Ickes; Recitation, Beulah Price. Topic on School Wastes was discussed by Park Roudabush and Jason Blackburn. Reading, Chester Kauffman; Primary Song; Reading, Lavanda Beegle; Topic on Politeness was discussed by Lillie Imier; Dialogue; Recitation, Alma Mason; Solo, Harriet Hann; Address on Centralization of Schools was delivered by Rev. Zinn and responded to by Bruce Stambaugh, Park Roudabush, Salinda Moses and Ed. Mason. After singing No. 12 in the Scripture the institute adjourned to meet in four weeks at Imier. Everybody invited to come.

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Official Suffrage Vote

On November 3, seven States voted on the question of woman suffrage. The official returns from these States give the following majorities for and against suffrage:

Montana	500 in favor
Nevada	2,000 in favor
Missouri	140,000 against
Nebraska	11,500 against
North Dakota	12,000 against
Ohio	182,000 against
South Dakota	9,000 against

It is a notable fact that when a State once adopts a reform like Woman's Suffrage or Local Option they never retrace. Montana and Nevada are in the ring to stay. Nebraska, North and South Dakotas are hewing close the line.

Postmaster General Albert S. Burleson is planning a two-cent letter rate for the entire Western Hemisphere. Except with Canada, Mexico and Cuba the fare is now five cents. This would open up commercial communication to South and Central America and bring us closer to these countries.

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WEEK TO CHRISTMAS

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FRUIT GROWERS' MEETING

Report of the Proceedings in Fall of
Last Week's Sessions.

The Bedford County Fruit Growers' Association convened in their eighth annual convention and show in the Court House on December 10. It was called to order at 10 a. m. with A. C. Richards in the chair. After a few appropriate introductory remarks by Mr. Richards, F. H. Fassett of Messhoppen, Pa., was introduced who spoke along the line of "The Conservation of Soil Moisture." I have seen many fruit growers who do not study the production of fruit. You must study the individuality of the fruit. You must plant fruit of the very highest quality. One of the greatest questions today is the controlling of soil moisture. If I can control the soil moisture, I don't care much for other climate conditions. We have the clean tillage and sod mulch systems. You must study and then decide which system suits your condition so that you can control your soil moisture. You must get into that tree just enough wood growth to give you an annual apple crop. You can do it if you study the orchard condition. By plowing down a proper cover crop you can add nitrogen to the soil as well as humus and in this way help to control soil moisture. Twenty pounds of hairy vetch and eight pounds of red clover per acre is our plan for a cover crop. By using some rye in connection with the vetch and clover you can inoculate your ground and still get a good cover crop, as the rye will catch more readily. The second year you will probably have no trouble in getting a good stand of vetch and clover.

We start the plow just as soon as we can in the spring. We apply some nitrate of soda, but never apply it until the apples are well set. Question—How many pounds do you apply to each tree? Answer—Seven pounds of nitrogen to each and we had very good results. Question—Will potash give you better color? Answer—In no case has potash given us an increase in color or yield of fruit. In all our experiments it has been found that we are in need of phosphoric acid. In applying fertilizers we have not found any that will take the place of good stable manure.

Hon. John M. Reynolds said, who in this county could study our soil conditions as well as one from this county. I believe that in this county we should have our own soil instructor.

J. I. Barley, Dr. S. H. Gump and S. E. Lee were then named as a nominating committee.

J. A. S. Beagle, Howard Cessna and Gideon Price were named as the auditing committee.

"Will it be Profitable to Continue the Planting of Commercial Orchards?" I see sunshine in the planting of commercial orchards if we can get the grower and consumer closer together. We must wake up and unite if we want our voices heard beyond our own barnyard. There were 49,000,000 less fruit trees in the United States in 1910 than in 1900, with the population increased about 20,000,000. Does that prove that there is going to be an over supply? Name me something that will make more money per acre than apples at 50 cents per bushel! Why should there not be a bureau of information for the consumer and producer, so that the consumer would know where to buy and the producer where to sell.

A federal bureau will be the solution for our depressed condition. It will be the only feasible plan of getting the producer and consumer closer together.

A. A. Hyde then discussed the topic of "Successful Home Storage." It is one of the essential things in the fruit business. You must be very careful in the picking and handling of the apples. The apples must be picked at the right time. They must

be hauled to the storage house on a sled or spring wagon. It is evening the doors and windows are opened to let the cool air in. In the morning the doors and windows are closed. The temperature must be kept at about 30 degrees.

Afternoon Session

This session was called to order at 2 p. m. with A. C. Richards in the chair. J. I. Barley then gave his experience in selling apples on the Altoona market which was very profitable. Dr. Gump then gave his experience in a commission house in Philadelphia. F. H. Fassett gave us a very practical talk on "Spraying, When and How." I don't believe that the lime sulphur is as effective as the old Bordeaux mixture. But the lime sulphur is the simplified spray. We use it thoroughly and find it very good. We spray lime sulphur just as soon as the leaf buds commence to open. We will control aphids in connection with the scale and also the blister mite. You can control all these insects by thorough spraying at the right time. In spraying for codling moth, you should spray thoroughly when about 90% of the blossoms have fallen. And then the later blooming trees; this way you can do the work more effectively. Question—Did you ever use the powder arsenate of lead? Answer—I have, but I believe I like the paste better as it will stay in suspension longer. The largest per cent of knotty apples are caused by the curculio.

To control the curculio you should clean up all brush, weeds and old fence rows and posts. Just clean house. I believe we must make things natural for the tree to do its best. I believe if an orchard is given natural condition it will be a paying proposition. If we expect to control the insects we must be thorough. I mean we must be thorough so that when we send our first fruit to the consumer that we can guarantee the contents of the package free from insect and fungus diseases.

"How Shall We Best Reach the Consumer With Our Orchard Products?" was very ably discussed by Howard Selby of Philadelphia. Your apples here are of better quality than the great western apples. The only thing they can surpass us with is the glow. Now the big problem before you is who is going to be the leader in getting the best package before the public. In sorting your fruit you must be very particular to throw out all the little and defective apples, and if there is any doubtful ones throw them out. Make the package straight and honest and bank the contents by putting your name and address on the outside. In fact your name should go on everything that goes to the consumer. We must co-operate so that there can be an even distribution.

The auditors then reported the financial standing of the association to January 1, 1914.

Moneys received from advertisements \$45.00
From dues 24.00
Money paid for printing programs, instructors' expenses, Secretary's salary, postage and stationery \$82.50
Balance due Secretary 13.50

The nominating committee then placed in nomination the following officers. President, A. C. Richards; Secretary, W. F. Biddle; Treasurer, C. R. Drenning; Executive Committee, A. C. Richards, A. A. Hyde, J. I. Barley, Howard Cessna, Gideon Price, G. W. Dibert, C. L. King, Hon. John M. Reynolds, Nathan Clabaugh, Dr. S. H. Gump, A. S. Guyer, W. G. Bortz, which was elected by a unanimous vote.

The fruit put on exhibition was a credit to Old Bedford County, although the display was not so large. Mr. Selby of the Starkey Produce Commission of Philadelphia said they were superior in quality to the apples of the great West.

Now just a personal word to some of the members of the Association. Those of you who know yourselves to be in arrears would greatly oblige the Secretary by sending in your dues. You can see by the financial statement what I am doing for you. Send in your dues and I will mail you a receipt. Your servant,
W. F. Biddle, Secretary.

The most complete and up-to-date line of merchandise for Christmas ever displayed in Bedford is being shown at W. H. Straub's two stores. Kindly call and select presents for your friends.—Adv.

DIED

KIEFE—Mrs. Mary Kiefe, a former resident of Everett, died at her home in Pittsburgh, on Thursday, November 24. Two sons and one daughter, Mrs. Thomas McDonald of Six Mile Run, survive.

MELLOTT—Sunday morning, November 29, Jonas Mellett died in Belfast Township, Fulton County, aged 82 years. His wife, four daughters and four sons survive. One daughter, Mrs. Almira Harvey, lives at Saxton.

SMITH—Mrs. Eliza Ellen Smith was born January 13, 1836, and died at her home at Six Mile Run on November 25, aged 48 years, 10 months and 12 days. Her husband was killed in a mine accident about fourteen years ago.

SAUER—Sunday morning Raymond Geary Sauer, a prominent grocer, died at his home in Altoona. He was a son of George and Mandula Sauer and was born at St. Clairsville on September 12, 1871. His wife, mother, one sister and two brothers survive. Interment was made in the Greenlawn Cemetery, Roaring Spring, Wednesday morning.

Holeproof Hosiery in Christmas boxes for men, women and children, at W. H. Straub's.—Adv.

Marriage Licenses

William DeWarren Shaffer and Pearl May Heller of Hyndman. Marshall L. Troutman of Clearville and Lydia O. Leasure of Clearville, Rt. 1.

Howard Glenn Foor of Everett and Ethel G. College of Brezewood. Glenn G. Robinson and Christina Holmes of Saxton, Rt. 1.

Prettiest and largest assortment of Penny Post Cards at Dull's.—Adv.



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Ask Us For Christmas Suggestions

If you don't see what you want in this store, ask for it; we probably have it; if we haven't, we'll get it for you.

We can't give you a complete list of Christmas things in the space we have here; but we'll send you one if you care for it.

Hart Schaffner & Marx clothes—suits, overcoats, dress clothes—head the list; you couldn't give a better gift for \$20.00 or \$25.00.

For Men

RAIN COATS
BATH ROBES
HOUSE COATS
SWEATERS
TROUSERS
MACKINAW
NECKTIES
GLOVES
SHIRTS
HOSE
SUSPENDERS
UMBRELLAS
SUIT CASES
TRAVELING BAGS
SHOES
BELTS
HATS
CAPS

COLLARS
HANDKERCHIEFS
PAJAMAS
SHOE POLISHING OUTFITS
HOUSE SLIPPERS
COMBINATION SETS, CONSISTING OF TIES, HOSE AND HANDKERCHIEFS;
BELTS, WATCH FOBBS AND POCKET BOOKS

For Women

SUITS
COATS
RAIN COATS
UMBRELLAS
FURS
PETTICOATS
WAISTS

TRAVELING BAGS
HANDKERCHIEFS
DRESSES
SKIRTS
HOSE
SWEATERS
SHOES
HOUSE SLIPPERS

For Boys

SUITS
OVERCOATS
RAIN COATS
SWEATERS
MACKINAW
SHIRTS
TROUSERS
HOSE

GLOVES
HATS
CAPS
BELTS
SHOES
NECKTIES

For Girls

COATS
SWEATERS
RAIN COATS
HOSE
SHOES
FURS
RAIN CAPES
RAIN OUTFITS, CONSISTING OF COAT, HAT AND SCHOOL BAG

All Xmas Gifts Wrapped in Fancy
Holiday Paper

Mail and Phone Orders Given Special
Attention

Make this Store your headquarters for Xmas Shopping

HAROLD S. SMITH CO.

The Store That Gives Best Values

BEDFORD, PENNA.

Schellsburg

December 15—George W. Colvin purchased a fine Overland touring car at Greensburg recently.

Mrs. Joseph Mank gave her daughter Grace a nice surprise last Friday evening by inviting a number of her friends to help spend the evening of her seventh birthday. Dainty refreshments were served and the children had a fine time playing games.

Dr. Hamilton and Mr. Gould, evangelists, are holding revival services here this week.

Vitalis Wertz of Dry Ridge was in town on Monday.

Edward Whetstone and James Litzinger of Johnstown were visitors in town a couple days this week.

On Thursday, December 10, about thirty ladies from the surrounding neighborhood gathered at the pleasant home of Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Clark to quilt three beautiful friendship quilts for Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Mowry of Johnstown, who had the misfortune to have their house and all its contents destroyed by fire during the early part of the summer. The ladies enjoyed a very pleasant day, and a bounteous dinner was served to which all did justice. Good music was rendered by Miss Jessie Clark, Miss Smith and Miss Deckerhoof, the latter lady being from Bedford.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Clark, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Egolf, Mr. and Mrs. John Harmon, Mr. and Mrs. George Dull, Mrs. Hoover, Mrs. Weyant, Mrs. John Egolf, Mrs. Smith,

Mrs. Nicodemus, Mrs. William Colvin, Mrs. R. H. Mowry, Mrs. Elmer Bowser, Mrs. Ross Wilson, Mrs. N. R. Thomas, Mrs. Susie Egolf, Misses Jessie Clark, Stella Egolf, Melissa Nicodemus, Carrie Cable, Gertrude Weyant, Ida Egolf, Dora Smith, Catherine Dull, Miss Studebaker of Point and Miss Deckerhoof of Bedford; William, Ralph and Carrol Egolf, Michael Dull, Ralph Weyant, Paul Bowser James, Fred and William Clark and Harry Studebaker of Point.

Holeproof comes in all shades, weights and materials, absolutely guaranteed for six months.—Adv.

Round Knob

December 15—Emanuel Edmondson of Three Springs has moved to North Point, where he is employed by the Edge Hill Company.

Wade H. Figard, wife, son Clarence and daughter visited at the home of Blair Mort last Sunday.

Wilson Connor of Ohio is visiting friends here and at Crystal Springs. He expects to return home after the holidays.

Elmer Colledge and Misses Ethel and Nora Colledge are visiting at the home of Wade H. Figard.

Albert S. Figard is still busy delivering coal and kindling to various places in the township.

Work around here is improving. Marshall Rankin of Six Mile Run met with an accident while crossing the railroad track last Friday. A passing train struck his mule and

wagon. The mule was so badly crippled it had to be shot.

Roy Figard visited at the home of his wife's parents at Sandy Run on Saturday and Sunday.

Frank Mellott, who is located in the West, has moved to the old Foster property.

Reuben Thomas, who has been on the sick list, is some better.

Daisy.

6,000 pounds of candy at 10 cents a pound at Straub's.—Adv.

Chalybeateville

December 16—Mrs. Albert Little of Elkins W. Va., has returned to her home, after spending some time here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Hartzell.

Charles Stayer of Tennessee is visiting his brother, Joseph Stayer, of near this place.

Mrs. Charles Bagley has been on the sick list.

Miss Carrie Diehl of Pleasant Valley was a pleasant caller in our town last Saturday night.

Harry Dibert of Pleasant Valley was a recent visitor here.

D. W. Dibert of near this place has gone to Garrett, Ind., to attend the funeral of his brother.

The Postoffice Department at Washington, D. C., recently appointed a mail carrier for Bedford Route 4, transferring George Corboy to Route 3, thus relieving W. W. DeVore, who has been carrying for the last seven months.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven Catarrh to be a constitutional disease, and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., is the only Constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.

Address: F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio.

Sold by Druggists, 75c.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.—Adv.

"Seasonable and Reasonable" Holeproof guaranteed Hose. Seasonable in weight and colors and of fine appearance. Reasonable, for at the cost of ordinary hose, they must wear six months without showing holes or we replace with new ones free.—Adv.

You are invited to Bingham's novelty department to buy your supply of tags, seals, cards and Xmas booklets.—Adv.

Saving Made Easy

Here Is a Plan That Has Been Tested and Found Right. The Seed Is Pennies, the Harvest Is Dollars

Everything To Gain, Nothing To Lose

We are starting for the first time in Bedford the celebrated Christmas Savings Club Plan. It brings you a check just in time for Christmas and you never miss the pennies that make it possible.

In the 5c Progressive Class, pay 5c the first week, 10c the second week, 15c the third week, and so on for 50 weeks, and we will issue you a check or a pass book with credit therein two weeks before Christmas for \$25.00, plus interest.

Or in the 2c Progressive Class, pay 2c for first week, 4c the second week, 6c the third week, and so on for 50 weeks, and we will issue you a check or a pass book with credit therein two weeks before Christmas for \$25.00, plus interest.

Or in the 1c Progressive Class, pay 1c the first week, 2c the second week, 3c the third week, and so on for 50 weeks, and two weeks before Christmas we will issue you a check or a pass book with credit therein for \$25.00, plus interest.

You May Reverse the Order of Payments if You Wish to do So

For instance, in the 5c Class, going up, the payments start with 5c and end with \$2.50. If you desire to do so, you may start with \$2.50 the first week and pay 5c less every week until the last week's payment, which will be 5c. Other classes decrease in like manner. Or you may take out a card requiring a weekly deposit of 50c each week for 50 weeks, and you will receive a check for \$25.00, plus interest.

Payments Must Be Made Every Week, or May Be Made in Advance

Can you think of an easier way to provide money for Christmas presents?

Join yourself—get everyone in the family to join. Show this to your friends and get them to join.

No Charge to Join and Everybody is Welcome

The Christmas Savings Club IS NOW OPEN to receive members. Call and let us tell you about our plan, and take your membership.

Interest only paid to members who make their payments during the week they are due and those who pay in advance.

MAKE YOUR CHRISTMAS A MERRY ONE

JOIN TO-DAY!

Hartley Banking Company
Bedford, Pennsylvania.

Solve Your Problems at The Big Gift Store

"Things are so much less expensive than I thought they were," said a woman yesterday, after she had disposed of her shopping at this store.

"And everything is so beautiful," added her friend, "so many, many things to select from."

These are things which visitors at this store are discovering every day. You can save time and money and have a far better, happier Christmas this year by doing your gift buying at Murdock's.

Note These:

Ivory toilet sets, brushes, mirrors, manicure sets, etc., etc., are now more popular than silver or ebony.

You will find a splendid line of these new ivory things at Murdock's. Also sets in silver or ebony.

Solid gold LaValieres need not be expensive. They are now much worn, and come from \$3.00 up. Solid gold with real cut diamond, as low as \$7.00.

Wrist watches are now the smartest thing in time pieces for women. At Murdock's you will find only good ones, and a splendid assortment. Prices low.

Most women who pride themselves on their good coffee look to the time when some one will give them a percolator.

We have them at the right price—\$3.00 to \$7.00. A splendid gift.

Our Rings

If a friend gives you a ring this Christmas, and it comes from Murdock's, you may be sure it is solid gold. This store hasn't a plated ring in its stock.

Any gold ring set with stones, if bought here, is guaranteed against loss of stones—save only those set with diamonds. If a stone comes loose, we tighten it; if lost, we replace it free.

1,000 Gifts

There are a thousand other gifts, new, beautiful and good, waiting to help you solve your Christmas problems quickly, easily and at low cost. Come see them.

J. Floyd Murdock

Ridenour Block

Jeweler

Graduate Optician

STOP! LOOK!! LISTEN!!!

Why worry about what you want to give your friends for Christmas? We have it. Come in and look at our stock of fine PERFUMES, MANICURE SETS, TOILET SETS, SAFETY RAZORS, CIGARS, FOUNTAIN PENS, FINE STATIONERY, FINE CANDIES, 10c to \$7.00 a package, and many other suitable gifts. Look at our stock before buying.

JOHN R. DULL, Druggist
BEDFORD, PA.

Lady Tailoring

Ladies can have suits made to order by Gustafson, merchant tailor, much better and just as cheap as ready-made garments. Men's suits made to order, ladies and men's suits altered, cleaned and repaired. Low prices and good work. 116 S. Richard Street.

The Gazette, \$1.50 a year to all.

MEETING OF STOCKHOLDERS

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the First National Bank of Bedford, Pa., for the election of directors to serve for the ensuing year, will be held at the Banking House on Tuesday, January 12, 1915, between the hours of 11 a. m. and 2 p. m. H. R. CESSNA, Cashier.

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Osterburg

December 15—The Sunday Schools of this place will hold Christmas services in both churches—the Lutheran Christmas eve and the Reformed Christmas night.

Guy Hanks, son of A. Hanks of near this place, met with a painful accident several days ago. When climbing over a fence he fell on a sharp stick, cutting a severe gash in the side of his head. Dr. Brumbaugh dressed the wound.

Mrs. H. E. Mason and daughter, Miss Alma, who is assistant teacher of the Imier schools, were shopping in Altoona last Saturday.

Seaton Brothers of Tyrone shipped a carload of hides from the Osterburg station this week.

Mrs. James H. Martin of Altoona spent several days recently at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Bowser.

Among those who registered at Hotel Martin the past week were L. Nicolls of Pittsburgh; C. Cowhead, Cumberland; N. F. Hockenberry, Williamsburg; W. O. Daugherty, Tyrone; P. M. Luher, Harrisburg, and William B. Shelly, New York City.

Fyan

December 14—Harry Lyons spent the past week with his brother, Albert Lyons, in Johnstown.

Ross Weyant and Patrick Lyons attended the revival meeting at Helixville Saturday evening.

Irvin Weyant and family spent Sunday at George Weyant's.

G. H. Deaner and wife and Ross Hillegass and Miss Celia Wyant attended church at New Buena Vista on Sunday.

P. A. McCreary made a business trip to Johnstown last week.

A few nights ago a mink entered the chicken coop of George Stouteagle here and killed every one of his 20 fine Plymouth Rock chickens.

We are now having fine sledding here as 16 inches of snow fell on Sunday.

The protracted meeting is meeting with good results at Helixville. Thirteen have been converted and more than 20 are seeking Christ.

Miss Mary Newman of Mann's Choice spent some time recently at the John H. Egolf home.

Ross Hillegass on Wednesday sold "Alice," his fine driving mare, to Clayton Graybill.

Miss Minnie Mowry spent Saturday night with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Fisher, near here.

Henry Ellenberger and Mrs. Miller attended the revival meeting at Helixville Saturday evening.

Hooligan.

Fishtown

December 15—Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Hoover returned home Sunday evening, after spending a week at Pitsburg with their daughter, Mrs. L. B. Landis.

Mrs. James Allen, Mrs. Joseph Hoover and Mrs. T. E. Berkhimer were Bedford visitors last Saturday.

Those present from this place attending institute in Bedford this week are Misses Reba and Ruth Taylor and Anne Blackburn.

Ralph and Helen Berkhimer suffered a light attack of tonsillitis this week.

Members of the Hicksite Friends Church will render a Christmas service in their church Christmas evening.

Mrs. Effie Hammer of Johnstown is spending a few weeks with home folks.

Joseph Blattenberger of Roaring Spring spent last Friday and Saturday here hunting.

Mrs. James Claybaugh

Mrs. Sarah A., wife of James Claybaugh, died at her home at Hopewell on Wednesday, December 9, of Bright's disease, aged 79 years, three months and eight days. She was born at Neffs Mills, Huntingdon County, on September 1, 1835, and was a daughter of David and Mary Isenberg. On May 4, 1864, she was united in marriage with James Claybaugh, who, with the following children, survives: William Vance Claybaugh of Lakemont, Mrs. Jennie Eichelberger and Mrs. F. S. Campbell of Hopewell; Mrs. May Drenning of Altoona and Mrs. Emma Benner of Windber. Two brothers and five sisters are also living: William Isenberg of Dayton, O.; John and Mrs. Owen Bruner of Petersburg; Mrs. John Etaler, Mrs. Nettie Simpson and Miss Frances Isenberg of Mill Creek, and Mrs. John Sell of East Freedom.

The funeral service was conducted at her late residence by Rev. Willard last Friday. Interment was made in the I. O. O. F. cemetery, Hopewell.

Mrs. Claybaugh had been afflicted for two years and bore her affliction with much patience. She was a model wife and mother, and was a consistent member of the Methodist Episcopal Church nearly all her life.

Happy! Why not? Holeproof Hosiery has solved my perplexing problem as to what to buy my family and friends for Christmas.—Adv.

Jacob Z. Pote

At his home at Baker's Summit, Jacob Z. Pote, one of the most highly respected residents of that community, died last Sunday afternoon, of heart trouble, with which he had been afflicted for some time.

Mr. Pote was born on the old Pote farm, near Baker's Summit, and was aged 65 years, five months and 21 days. Forty-seven years ago he was united in marriage to Rebecca Smeltzer. To this union were born eleven children, nine of whom, with their mother, survive: Emory and Lloyd of Everett, Wash.; Grant of near Baker's Summit, Mrs. Herbert Stevens, Mrs. Charles Mock and Mrs. Arthur Dick of Roaring Spring; Mrs. C. W. Myers of Baker's Summit; Flossie and Ivan at home. Two brothers and two sisters also survive: C. Z. Pote of Altoona, A. Z. and Mrs. G. H. Appleman of Baker's Summit and Mrs. John Cowan of Taylor Township, Blair County.

Mr. Pote was held in high esteem by all. He was a member of the Church of the Brethren for a number of years. He held many positions of trust in his home township, all of which were filled with honesty and fidelity.

The funeral service was held Wednesday morning in the Holsinger Church of the Brethren, and was conducted by Elder A. G. Crosswhite of Roaring Spring. Interment was made in the Holsinger Cemetery.

It is not too late to have your pictures taken at The McCreary Studio and get them for Xmas.—Adv.

A Bedford Family

March, 1912, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Taylor and five of their children left Bedford for Akron, O., where they went, with hope high within, to make a new home. But the new home did not last long. Mrs. Taylor, the good wife and kind mother, died several months ago. Last week Elmer Taylor spent a few days in Bedford. He said: "My family is scattered and I have no home." His daughter Anna is married and lives in Wilkensburg. Clara has a good home with Mr. and Mrs. J. Roy Cessna of Bedford. Susan (Little Sue) married a Pennsylvania Dutchman and lives in Lancaster. George (George Mann Taylor) is married and lives in Akron. Her husband is a fine man and a money-maker.

Charley ("Red," as the boys called him), has joined the Salvation Army and is now working in Pittsburgh. Little Beatrice is a Wilkensburg school girl and lives with her sister Anna. Last week when Elmer was in Bedford he hit the saw-dust trail at the big tabernacle. He can now sing: "I'm but a stranger here, heaven is my home; earth is a desert drear, heaven is my home."—Phoebe Peters.

Can you imagine in a small town the size of Bedford three wagon loads of candy? Well Straub has it, and at 10 cents a pound.—Adv.

HAMILTON AND GOULD

Conducting Revival Meetings at Schellsburg This Week.

The Hamilton and Gould meetings opened at Schellsburg Monday night with a large attendance. Those present listened with rapt attention for over an hour to the masterly discourse delivered by the evangelist. The song service conducted by Mr. Gould was most highly appreciated.

The attendance will undoubtedly be extraordinarily large if good sledding continues throughout the week. There have been 30 converts up to this time.

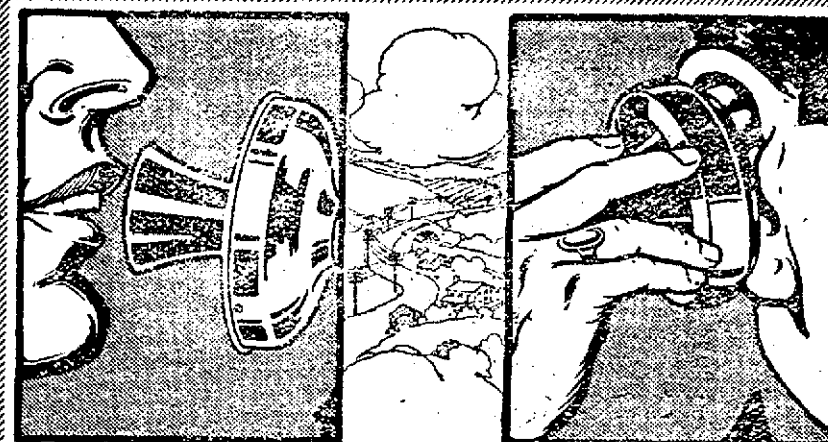
Three services will be held on Sunday: Morning service 10:30 o'clock; afternoon 2:30 o'clock; evening 7:15 o'clock. Everyone is cordially invited to attend.

Only five more shopping days for Xmas and our tree decorations are still complete. Biggest assortment at Bingham's.—Adv.

Bedford Presbyterian Church

K. A. Bishara, Ph. D., Pastor Sunday and midweek services as usual. The theme of the morning sermon is "Immanuel," the most wonderful word in the Bible and all literature. A Christmas message. At 3 p. m., a union meeting of the 436 converts, with as many others as the church can hold. All pastors present.

The most appreciated gift of all is hosiery, and why not the old original Holeproof, guaranteed for six months, at W. H. Straub's.—Adv.



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We have a special price to offer on Oranges for the following week. You ought to take advantage of these prices for Xmas, which will be made known on request. We also have a full line of Vegetables, Fruits and Nuts.

Phone orders given prompt attention.

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BEDFORD, PA.

NOTICE

My wife, Alice T. Pensyl, having left me, I will not be responsible for any debts incurred by her.
11 Dec 3t C. R. PENSYL.

You will be glad, that is a sure thing, Happy thoughts to you will bring. The kiddies will laugh and sing; If you buy your Xmas toys at Ring's. Advertisement.

Don't forget the 12x14 enlargement that is given free with each dozen good pictures at The McCreary Studio.—Adv.

Candies, toilet articles, perfumes, cigars, post cards, tags and booklets at Dull's.—Adv.

Just "one darn thing after another" is what housework means. Isn't it? Washing, ironing, baking, sweeping, etc., etc., etc. But there is one darn you can get rid of and that is the stocking darn, if you will insist on every member of the family wearing Holeproof. You know they are the old original guaranteed stockings. Guaranteed to stand and withstand you for six months without a hole, or new hose free at W. H. Straub's.—Adv.

Sulphur Springs Reformed Church

Arthur J. Miller, Pastor Trinity, Dry Ridge — Preaching Sunday, December 20, 10 a. m. Grace, Mann's Choice, preaching 7 p. m.; Sunday School Christmas service Christmas eve; praise service Christmas morning, 6 o'clock.

"Some women want to vote, but we never heard one who wanted to mend stockings. And there is absolutely no need of it, if she will insist that every member of the family wear Holeproof stockings. They are guaranteed against any kind of a hole for six long months. Only one thing to guard against, and that is to get the original Holeproof. Don't be side tracked into buying the 'just as good' kind."—Adv.

Friend's Cove Reformed Church

Walter C. Pugh, Pastor Sunday, December 20 — Sunday School at the Brick Church and Rainsburg 9:30 a. m. and divine worship at Rainsburg 10:30 a. m. and at Trinity 2 p. m. Saturday evening 7:30 o'clock Union Christian Endeavor Society at Rainsburg. Christmas services: Brick, Thursday evening, December 24, 7:30 o'clock; Rainsburg, Friday evening, December 25, 7:30 o'clock; Trinity, Saturday evening, December 26, 7:30 o'clock.

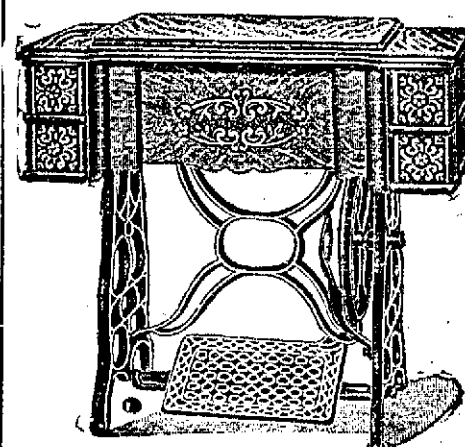
Remember that Straub has six thousand pounds of candy received this week at no advance price, same old price, 10 cents a pound.—Adv.

Curd of Thanks

We, the undersigned, kindly thank all friends, and particularly the Heckerman Relief, who so kindly extended aid and sympathy during the sad hours of sickness and death to our beloved son, Foster.

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Card can be taken out this week.

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Bad Teeth A Cause of Cancer

Constant irritation of any part of the body is now well recognized as an important contributory cause of cancer. One of the forms of irritation which has been repeatedly observed to result in this disease is the constant friction of the sharp edges of bad teeth or of imperfect plates against the sides of the tongue. To be sure, sores on the tongue caused in this way do not always become cancer. Neither are wounds from toy pistols always followed by lock-jaw. But there is danger in both cases, and it is as easy to avoid it in the one as in the other. A bad tooth should never be tolerated in any event, and the danger of cancer is only one more good reason for having it attended to. Cancer of the tongue may occur at any age, but it is most common between 40 and 60. Statistics show very few cases under thirty. The majority of these cases occurred in females, while in later years males were found to be more frequently attacked. Cancer of the tongue in young subjects is especially fatal. Out of thirty cases there were only two recoveries. The others died within ten months or could not be traced. As one-third of all the cases investigated have been shown to be definitely associated with jagged or decayed teeth or imperfect plates it would seem that here, at least, is one method of preventing cancer. It is probable that other conditions occurring in combination with the bad teeth increase the likelihood of cancer of the tongue as a result, but the removal of this form of irritation is so simple a matter that deaths in cases of this kind must be mostly charged to pure neglect. Where a sore place caused by a jagged tooth does not promptly heal there is real danger of cancer. If the removal or treatment of the tooth does not relieve the situation and the ulcer continues, prompt operation is necessary, for this form of cancer is quickly fatal.

STOP BUYING EXPENSIVE COUGH REMEDIES
Make the Best at Home

Money spent for the old style, ready-made, cough syrups in bottles holding only 2 to 2½ ounces is very largely wasted, because most of them are composed principally of sugar and water. Yet you have to pay the same price as if it was all medicine. Stop wasting this money. You can make a better cough medicine at home at one-fifth the cost. Merely go to John R. Dull's Drug Store and ask for 2 ounces (50c worth) of Schiffmann's Concentrated Expectant. Mix this with one pint of granulated sugar and one-half pint of boiling water, which makes a full pint (16 ounces). This new, simple, pleasant remedy is guaranteed to relieve the worst cough or cold. Also excellent for Bronchial Asthma, Bronchitis, croup, hoarseness and whooping cough. One bottle will make enough home-made cough medicine to probably last the whole family the entire winter. Children like it, it is so pleasant to take and it positively contains no chloroform, opium, morphine or other narcotics as do most cough mixtures. Keep it on hand in case of emergency and stop each cough before it gets a firm hold. The above druggist has been authorized to return the money in every single case where it does not give perfect satisfaction or is not found the best remedy ever used. Absolutely no risk is run in buying this remedy under this positive guarantee.—Adv. 18 Dec. 8t.

The Old Cow Buyer

Charley Smith, the cow buyer of days ago, who was born and bred on the old Smith farm, at Smith's Crossing, had not been seen in his native county for several years. Some people thought he had gone to the other shore, but his smiling face was seen in Bedford last Saturday, when he said, "My wings have started to grow, but I'm still here." He lives with his son Harry in Berlin. His oldest son, Charles, the fourth, lives in Ellerslie, Md. Mr. Smith is visiting at the home of his brother Emanuel.

At the Little Antique Shop there is a very old and quaint camel-foot table. It belonged to Charley Smith's great grandmother. His grandmother brought it to Bedford County from Frederick, Md. Charley Smith said: "Jonathan Donahoe paid 40c for that dog-foot table at my pap's auction many years ago." The antique man saw the table at Mr. Donahoe's home last year, offered him \$8 for it, and he got it. The cat is now out of the bag, and Mr. Donahoe can laugh at the antique man for being so easy.

First Dose Ends Indigestion, Heart-Burn or Gas on Stomach

The question as to how long you are going to continue a sufferer from indigestion, dyspepsia or out-of-order stomach is merely a matter of how soon you begin taking Tonaline Tabs. People with weak stomachs should take Tonaline Tablets occasionally, and there will be no more indigestion, no feeling like a lump of lead in the stomach, no heartburn, sour risings, gas on stomach, or belching of undigested food, headaches, dizziness or sick stomach; and besides, what you eat will not ferment and poison your breath with nauseous odors. All these symptoms resulting from a sour, out-of-order stomach and dyspepsia are generally relieved five minutes after taking Tonaline Tablets.

Go to your druggist and get a \$1 box of Tonaline Tablets and you will always go to the table with a hearty appetite, and what you eat will taste good, because your stomach and intestines will be clean and fresh, and you will know there are not going to be any more bad nights and miserable days for you. Tonaline Tabs freshen you and make you feel like life is worth living.

Tonaline Tablets cost \$1.00 for a 50 days' treatment. At druggists or mailed by American Proprietary Co., Boston, Mass.—Adv. 18 Dec. 4t.

Make Use of Mirror.

A large mirror placed on the log carriage of the sawmill enables the sawyer to make a survey of both ends of the log, with the view of economy.

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FEEDING DAIRY COWS IN COLD WEATHER

It is a Great Mistake to Economize in the Matter of Provender.

Economizing on the dairy cow's food supply is a great mistake. The farmer who, as winter approaches, will confine his cows to a simple feed of corn fodder, or some other cheap and ready food, is the man who is not getting the best out of his stock.

Corn is not a perfect food for a dairy cow any more than it is the proper food for an egg fowl. For the production of milk, as for the production of eggs, a ration is required that contains a larger percentage of flesh-forming constituents than is contained in corn or fodder.

Dairy cows must be fed so as to obtain the greatest possible quantity of milk at that time. A ration should be used so as to sustain the milk flow just as long as possible. Fortunately, the food that tends to produce a large flow is also satisfactory from the other standpoint.

Converting Food Into Milk, Not Fat

If a cow converts her food into milk, instead of putting it on her back in the form of fat, it is almost impossible to feed her too much of the right kind of grain. Of course, it is possible to be really extravagant, but on the average farms where dairying is not a specialty there is little danger of this occurring.

During the winter, when the weather is cold, it is a good idea to give a fairly liberal ration of ground corn and cob meal, to which is added some ground oats and also some oil meal. The quantity to be fed depends entirely on the individual, and should be left to the judgment of the feeder. The cows, however, should not have more than what they will eat up clean. It is a good sign to see the bottom of the manger licked clean after every meal. A grain ration like the above, fed morning and night, and each feeding followed by a fair-sized bundle of good clover hay, will keep a cow that is in good condition right up to her maximum milk powers all the time.

General Care of the Cow

There is no advantage in exposing the cows to cold and stormy weather. They become chilled and consequently get a setback. They enjoy having access to straw stacks, and a shed opening to the south makes good quarters during the daytime. It is a good plan to have a feed rack in the yard, to which the cows may have access at any time during the day, and drinking water should always be on hand so they can help themselves at will.

The milk flow can often be sustained by making gradual changes in the ration. For instance, should the cows seem to tire of oil meal or oats, it is a good plan to change to bran, or to mix some good sorts along with the cornmeal. This has a tendency to sharpen the appetite. And food that is palatable is always much more easily digested than one that is not.

Another valuable article is salt. A supply should be kept convenient all the time, so cows can have access to it whenever they crave it. This is much better than salting at intervals of once a week or so. Dairymen say that when cows have access to salt at all times there is less difficulty in churning the cream for butter, because salt really has something to do with making cream churn rapidly.

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ORPHANS' COURT SALE OF REAL ESTATE

By virtue of an order of the Orphans' Court of Bedford County, the undersigned Executor and Trustee in the estate of George Berghelmer, late of East St. Clair Township, Bedford County, Penna., deceased, will offer at public sale on

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 26, 1914, at 1:30 o'clock p. m. on the premises, the following real estate, to wit: A tract of land situate in East St. Clair Township, Bedford County, Pa., bounded by Samuel Evans heirs, George W. Oster, John Acker and others, containing 46 acres and 46 perches, having thereon erected a dwelling house, barn and outbuildings.

TERMS:—Ten per cent. of bid cash or secured on day of sale, balance of one-third on confirmation of sale and delivery of deed, one-third in one year and one-third in two years from date of confirmation with interest. **GEORGE W. OSTER,** Executor and Trustee. **JOHN N. MINNICH, Atty.** 4Dec.3t

PUBLIC SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE

[Estate of John Adam Miller, late of Napier Township, Bedford County, Pa., deceased.]

The undersigned administrator of the estate of John Adam Miller, late of Napier Township, Bedford County, Pa., deceased, will by virtue of an order of the Orphans' Court, offer at public sale on the premises at Helixville, in Napier Township, Bedford County, Pa., on

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 26, 1914, at one o'clock p. m. of said day all that certain tract of land, containing 43 acres and 50 perches net measure, about 35 acres cleared and fenced and balance in timber, adjoining lands of Avery Hinson, Amanda Ferguson, Solomon Miller, William Hinson and others. The improvements are two two-story log dwellings, a frame barn and other outbuildings, never-failing spring and a good young orchard.

TERMS:—One-third to remain in the land as dower during the life of Lavinia Miller, the widow; 10% of bid cash on day of sale, one-third, including the 10%, on confirmation of sale, and the balance in six months thereafter with interest.

DANIEL MILLER, Administrator, R. F. D. 1, Schellsburg, Pa. **A. B. MILLER,** Sale Caller. **Attest: E. M. PENNELL, Atty.** Dec. 4, 4t.

ADMINISTRATRIX'S NOTICE

[Estate of David R. Replogle, late of South Woodbury Township, Bedford County, Pa., deceased.]

Letters of administration on the above estate having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to the said estate are requested to make prompt payment, and those having claims to present the same without delay to

SARAH A. REPROGLE, Administratrix, New Enterprise, Pa., R. D. **SIMON H. SELL, Atty.** 20 Nov. 6t.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE

[Estate of Caleb H. Hammer, late of Napier Township, Bedford County, Pa., deceased.]

Letters testamentary on the above estate having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to the said estate are requested to make prompt payment, and those having claims to present the same without delay to

ISAAC M. HAMMER, Executor, 511 Pine Street, Johnstown, Pa. 20 Nov. 6t.

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President Wilson's Address

The full text of President Wilson's message follows:

Gentlemen of the Congress:

The session upon which you are now entering will be the closing session of the sixty-third Congress, a Congress, I venture to say, which will long be remembered for the great body of thoughtful and constructive work which it has done, in loyal response to the thought and needs of the country.

I should like in this address to review the notable record and try to make adequate assessment of it; but no doubt we stand too near the work that has been done and are ourselves too much part of it to play the part of historians toward it.

Moreover, our thoughts are now more of the future than of the past. While we have worked at our tasks of peace the circumstances of the whole age have been altered by war. What we have done for our own land and our own people we did with the best that was in us, whether of character or of intelligence, with sober enthusiasm and a confidence in the principles upon which we were acting which sustained us at every step of the difficult undertaking; but it is done.

It has passed from our hands. It is now an established part of the legislation of the country. Its usefulness, its effects will disclose themselves in experience.

What chiefly strikes us now, as we look about us during these closing days of a year which will be forever memorable in the history of the world is that we face new tasks, have been facing them these six months must face them in the months to come—face them without partisan feeling, like men who have forgotten everything but a common duty and the fact that we are representatives of a great people whose thought is not of us, but of what America owes to herself and to all mankind in such circumstances as these upon which we look amazed and anxious.

War has interrupted the means of trade not only but also the processes of production. In Europe it is destroying men and resources wholesale and upon a scale unprecedented and appalling. There is reason to fear that the time is near, if it be not already at hand, when several of the countries of Europe will find it difficult to do for their people what they have hitherto been always able to do—many essential and fundamental things. At any rate, they will need our help and our manifold services as they have never needed them before; and we should be ready, more fit and ready than we have ever been.

Must Supply Neighbors
It is of equal consequence that the nations of Europe have usually supplied with innumerable articles of manufacture and commerce of which they are in constant need and without which their economic development halts and stands still can now get only a small part of what they formerly imported and eagerly look to us to supply their all but empty markets.

This is particularly true of our own neighbors, the states, great and small, of Central and South America. Their lines of trade have hitherto run chiefly athwart the seas, not to our ports, but to the ports of Great Britain and of the older continent of Europe. I do not stop to inquire why, or to make any comment on probable causes. What interests us just now is not the explanation, but the fact, and our duty and opportunity in the presence of it.

Here are markets which we must supply, and we must find the means of action. The United States, this great people for whom we speak and act, should be ready, as never before, to serve itself and to serve mankind; ready with its resources, its energies, its forces of production, and its means of distribution.

It is a very practical matter, a matter of ways and means. We have the resources, but are we fully ready to use them? And, if we can make ready what we have, have we the means at hand to distribute it? We are not fully ready; neither have we the means of distribution. We are willing, but we are not fully able. We have the wish to serve and to serve eagerly, generously; but we are not prepared as we should be. We are not ready to mobilize our resources at once. We are not prepared to use them immediately and at their best, without delay and without waste.

To speak plainly, we have grossly erred in the way in which we have stunted and hindered the development of our merchant marine. And now, when we need ships, we have not got them. We have year after year debated, without end or conclusion, the best policy to pursue with regard to the use of the ores and forests and water powers of our national domain in the rich states of the west, when we should have acted; and they are still locked up. The key is still turned upon the door shut fast at which thousands of vigorous men, full of initiative, knock clamorously for admittance. The water power of our navigable streams outside the national domain also, even in the eastern states, where we have worked and planned for generations, is still not used as it might be, because we will and we won't; because the laws we have made do not intelligently balance encouragement against restraint. We withhold by regulation.

I have come to ask you to remedy and correct these mistakes and omissions, even at this short session of a Congress which would certainly seem to have done all the work that could reasonably be expected of it. The time and the circumstances are extraordinary, and so must our efforts be also.

Wants Water Power Action

Fortunately, two great measures, finely conceived, the one to unlock, with proper safeguards, the resources of the national domain, the other to encourage the use of the navigable waters outside that domain for the generation of power have already passed the House of Representatives and are ready for immediate action by the Senate. With the deepest earnestness I urge their prompt passage. In them both we turn our

backs upon hesitation and make-shift and formulate a genuine policy of use and conservation, in the best sense of those words.

We owe the one measure not only to the people of that great western country for whose free and systematic development, as it seems to me, our legislation has done so little, but also to the people of the nation as a whole; and we as clearly owe the other in fulfillment of our repeated promises that the water power of the country should in fact as well as in name be put at the disposal of great industries which can make economical and profitable use of it, the rights of the public being adequately guarded the while, and monopoly in the use prevented. To have begun such measures and not completed them would indeed mar the record of this great Congress very seriously. I hope and confidently believe that they will be completed.

And there is another great piece of legislation which awaits and should receive the sanction of the Senate; I mean the bill which gives a larger measure of self-government to the people of the Philippines. How better, in this time of anxious questioning and perplexed policy, could we show our confidence in the principles of liberty, as the source as well as the expression of life, how better could we demonstrate our own self-possession and steadfastness in the courses of justice and disinterestedness than by thus going calmly forward to fulfill our promises to a dependent people, who will now look more anxiously than ever to see whether we have indeed the liberality, the unselfishness, the courage, the faith we have boasted and professed. I cannot believe that the Senate will let this great measure of constructive justice await the action of another Congress; its passage would nobly crown the record of these two years of memorable labor.

But I think that you will agree with me that this does not complete the toll of our duty. How are we to carry our goods to the empty markets of which I have spoken if we have not the ships? How are we to build up a great trade if we have not the certain and constant means of transportation upon which all profitable and useful commerce depends? And how are we to get the ships if we wait for the trade to develop without them?

To correct the many mistakes by which we have discouraged and all but destroyed the merchant marine of the country, to retrace the steps by which we have, it seems almost deliberately, withdrawn our flag from the seas, except where, here and there, a ship of war is hidden away, it would take a long time and involve many detailed items of legislation, and the trade which we ought immediately to handle would disappear or find other channels while we debated the items.

Urges Ship Measure
The case is not unlike that which confronted us when our own continent was to be opened up to settlement and industry, and we needed long lines of railways, extended means of transportation prepared before hand, if development was not to lag intolerably and wait interminably. We lavishly subsidized the building of transcontinental railroads. We look back upon that with regret now, because the subsidies led to many scandals of which we are ashamed; but we know that the railroads had to be built, and if we had it to do over again we should, of course, build them, but in another way.

Therefore, I propose another way of providing the means of transportation, which must precede, not tardily follow, the development of our trade with our neighbor states of America. It may seem a reversal of the natural order of things, but it is true, that the routes of trade must be actually opened—by many ships and regular sailings and moderate charges—before streams of merchandise will flow freely and profitably through them.

Hence the pending shipping bill, discussed at the last session, but as yet passed by neither house. In my judgment such legislation is imperatively needed and cannot be wisely postponed. The government must open these gates of trade, and open them wide; open them before it is altogether profitable to open them, or altogether reasonable to ask private capital to open them at a venture. It is not a question of the government monopolizing the field.

It should take action to make it certain that transportation at reasonable rates will be promptly provided, where the carriage is not at first profitable; and then, when the carriage has been sufficiently profitable to attract and engage private capital, and engage it in abundance, the government ought to withdraw. I very earnestly hope that the Congress will be of this opinion, and that both Houses will adopt this exceedingly important bill.

The great subject of rural credits still remains to be dealt with, and it is a matter of deep regret that the difficulties of the subject have seemed to render it impossible to complete a bill for passage at this session. But it can not be perfected yet, and therefore, there are no other constructive measures the necessity for which I will at this time call your attention to; but I would be negligent of a very manifest duty were I not to call the attention of the Senate to the fact that the proposed convention for safety at sea awaits its confirmation, and that the limit fixed in the last day of the present month.

The conference in which this convention originated was called by the United States; the representatives of the United States played a very influential part indeed in framing the provisions of the proposed convention; and those provisions are in themselves for the most part admirable. It would hardly be consistent with the part we have played in the whole matter to let it drop and go neglected. It was ratified in May last by the German government and in August by the parliament of Great

Britain. It marks a most hopeful and decided advance in international civilization. We should show our earnest good faith in a great matter by accepting our own acceptance of it.

There is another matter of which I must make special mention, if I am to discharge my conscience. Let it should escape your attention. It may seem a very small thing. It affects only a single item of appropriation. But many human lives and many great enterprises hang upon it. It is the matter of making adequate provision for the survey and charting of our coasts. It is immediately pressing and exigent in connection with the immense coast line of Alaska, a coast line greater than that of the United States themselves, though it is also very important indeed with regard to the older coasts of the continent.

We cannot use our great Alaskan domain, ships will not ply thither, if those coasts and their many hidden dangers are not thoroughly surveyed and charted. The work is incomplete at almost every point. Ships and lives have been lost in threading what were supposed to be well-known main channels. We have not provided adequate vessels or adequate machinery for the survey and charting. We have used old vessels that were not big enough or strong enough and which were so nearly unserviceable that our inspectors would not have them to sea. This is a matter which, as I have said, seems small, but is in reality very great. Its importance has only to be looked into to be appreciated.

For Economy System
Before I close, may I say a few words upon two topics, much discussed out of doors, upon which it is highly important that our judgments should be clear, definite and steadfast.

One of these is economy in government expenditures. The duty of economy is not debatable. It is manifest and imperative. In the appropriations we pass we are spending the money of the great people whose servants we are, not our own. We are trustees and responsible stewards in the spending. The only thing debated and upon which we should be careful to make our thought and purpose clear is the kind of economy demanded of us.

I assert with the greatest confidence that the people of the United States are not jealous of the amount their government costs if they are sure that they get what they need and desire for the outlay, that the money is being spent for objects of which they approve, and that it is being applied with good business sense and management.

Governments grow, piecemeal, both in their tasks and in the means by which those tasks are to be performed, and very few governments are organized, I venture to say, as wise and experienced business men would organize them if they had a clean sheet of paper to write upon. Certainly the government of the United States is not.

I think that it is generally agreed that there should be a systematic reorganization and reassignment of its parts so as to secure greater efficiency and effect considerable savings in expense. But the amount of money saved in that way would, I believe, though no doubt considerable in itself, running, it may be, into the millions, be relatively small, small, I mean, in proportion to the total necessary outlays of the government. It would be thoroughly worth effecting, as every saving would, great or small.

Our duty is not altered by the scale of the saving. But my point is that the people of the United States do not wish to curtail the activities of this government; they wish, rather, to enlarge them; and with every enlargement, with the mere growth, indeed, of the country itself, there must come, of course, the inevitable increase of expense. The sort of economy we ought to practice may be effected, and ought to be effected, by a careful study and assessment of the tasks to be performed; and the money spent ought to be made to yield the best possible returns in efficiency and achievement.

And like good stewards, we should so account for every dollar of our appropriations as to make it perfectly evident what it was spent for and in what way it was spent.

It is not expenditure but extravagance that we should fear being criticized for not paying for the legitimate enterprise and undertakings of a great government; those people command what it should be, but adding what will benefit only a few or pouring money out for what need not have been undertaken at all or might have been postponed or better and more economically conceived and carried out.

The nation is not niggardly; it is generous. It will chide us only if we forget for whom we pay money out and whose money it is we pay. These are large and very general standards, but they are not very difficult of application to particular cases. The other topic I shall take leave to mention goes deeper in to the principles of our national life and policy. It is the subject of national defense.

Takes Up National Defense
It can not be discussed without first answering some very searching questions. It is said in some quarters that we are not prepared for war. What is meant by being prepared? Is it meant that we are not ready upon brief notice to put a nation in arms? Of course we are not ready to do that; and we shall never be in time of peace so long as we retain our present political principles and institutions. And what is it that is suggested we should be prepared to do? To defend ourselves against attack? We have always found means to do that, and shall find them whenever it is necessary without calling our people away from their necessary tasks to render compulsory military service in times of peace.

Allow me to speak with great plainness and directness upon this great matter and to avow my convictions with deep earnestness. I have tried to know what America is, what her people think, what they are, what they most cherish and hold dear. I have not come of their finer passions

are in my own heart—some of the great conceptions and desires which gave birth to this government and which have made the voice of this people a voice of peace and hope and liberty among the peoples of the world, and that, speaking my own thoughts, I shall, at least in part, speak theirs also, however faintly and inadequately, upon this vital matter. We are at peace with all the world. No one who speaks counsel based on fact or drawn from a just and candid interpretation of realities can say that there is a reason to fear that from any quarter our independence or the integrity of our territory is threatened. Dread of the power of any other nation we are incapable of. We are not jealous of rivalry in the fields of commerce or of any other peaceful achievement.

We mean to live our own lives as we will; but we mean also to let live. We are, indeed, a true friend to all the nations of the world, because we threaten none, covet the possessions of none, desire the overthrow of none. Our friendship can be accepted and is accepted without reservation, because it is offered in a spirit and for a purpose which no one need ever question or suspect.

Therein lies our greatness. We are the champions of peace and concord. And we should be very jealous of this distinction which we have sought to earn. Just now we should be particularly jealous of it, because it is our dearest present hope that this character and reputation may presently, in God's providence, bring about an opportunity such as has seldom been afforded any nation, the opportunity to counsel and obtain peace in the world and reconciliation and a healing settlement of many matters that has cooled and interrupted the friendship of nations.

This is the time above all others when we should wish and resolve to keep our strength by self-possession, our influence by preserving our ancient principles of action.

From the first we have had a clear and settled policy with regard to military establishments. We never have had, and while we retain our present principles and ideals, we never shall have, a large standing army. If asked, Are you ready to defend yourselves? we reply, Most assuredly, to the utmost; and yet we shall not turn America into a military camp.

We will not ask our young men to spend the best years of their lives making soldiers of themselves. There is another sort of service in which it will know how to declare itself and make itself effective, should occasion arise. And especially when half the world is on fire we shall be careful to make our moral insurance against the spread of the conflagration very definite and certain and adequate indeed.

Let us remind ourselves, therefore, of the only thing we can do or will do. We must depend in every time of national peril, in the future army, not yet upon a reserve army, but upon a citizenry trained and accustomed to arms. It will be right enough, right American policy, based upon our accustomed principles and practices, to provide a system by which every citizen who will volunteer for the training may be made familiar with the use of modern arms, the rudiments of drill and maneuver, and the maintenance and sanitation of camps.

We should encourage such training and make it a means of discipline which our young men will learn to value. It is right that we should provide it not only, but that we should make it as attractive as possible, and so induce our young men to undergo it at such times as they can command a little freedom and can seek the physical development they need, for more health's sake, if for nothing more.

Every means by which such things can be stimulated is legitimate, and such a method snacks of true American ideas. It is right, too, that the national guard of the states should be developed and strengthened by every means which is not inconsistent with our obligations to our own people or with the established policy of our government. And this, also, not because the time or occasion specially calls for such measures, but because it should be our constant policy to make these provisions for our national peace and safety.

Opposes Strengthening Military
More than this carries with it a reversal of the whole history and character of our policy. More than this, proposed at this time, permit me to say, would mean merely that we had been thrown off our balance by a war whose causes we have nothing to do, whose existence affords us no opportunity of friendship and disinterested service which should make us ashamed of any thought of hostility or fearful preparation for trouble.

This is assuredly the opportunity for which a people and a government like ours were raised up, the opportunity not only to speak but actually to embody and exemplify the counsels of peace and amity and the lasting concord which is based on justice and fair and generous dealing.

A powerful navy we have always regarded as our proper and natural means of defense; and it has always been of defense that we have thought, never of aggression or of conquest. But who shall tell us now what sort of navy to build? We shall take leave to be strong upon the seas, in the future as in the past; and there will be no thought of offense or of provocation in that.

Our ships and our natural bulwarks. When will the experts tell us just what kind we should construct—and when will they be right for ten years together, if the relative efficiency of craft of different kinds and uses continues to change as we have seen it change under our very eyes in these last few months?

But I turn away from the subject. It is not new. There is no new need to discuss it. We shall not alter our attitude toward it, because some amongst us are nervous and excited. We shall easily and sensibly agree upon a policy of defense. The question has not changed its aspects because the times are not normal. Our policy will not be for an occasion.

It will be conceived as a permanent and settled thing which will pass as at all seasons.

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and after a fashion perfectly consistent with the peace of the world, the unhampered freedom of all with whom we deal. Let there be no misconception. The country has been negligent of national defense. We are not unmindful of the great responsibility resting upon us. We shall learn and profit by the lesson of every experience and every new circumstance; and what is needed will be adequately done.

I close, as I began, by reminding you of the great tasks and duties of peace, which challenge our best powers and invite us to build what will last, the tasks to which we can address ourselves now and at all times with free-hearted zest and with all the finest gifts of constructive wisdom we possess.

To develop our life and our resources; to supply our own people, and the people of the world, as their need arises, from the abundant plenty of our fields and our marts of trade; to enrich the commerce of our own states and of the world with the products of our mines, our farms, and our factories, with the creations of our thought and the fruits of our character,—this is what will hold our attention and our enthusiasm steadily, now and in the years to come, as we strive to show in our life as a nation what liberty and the inspiration of an emancipated spirit may do for men and for societies, for individuals, for states and for mankind.

How Farmers Should Organize

The department is continually receiving inquiries from all sections asking how farmers ought to organize. The answer to such a general question must necessarily be that it depends partly upon the particular needs of a given community and partly upon the capacity, which farmers have to establish and manage the work of a suitable organization. There should be a strong local feeling of the need of some improvement and that certain definite steps can be more fully taken.

School Report

Following is a report of the Charlesville School, Coleraine Township, for the third month ending December 7. Number enrolled, males 17, females 17, total 34, average attendance 26; per cent 76, average males 80, females 80, average 84. Honor Roll—Margaret Turner, Vera Smyth, Myrl Housel, John Smyth, Elvin and John Knafely, Reta, Glen, Mary, Ben and Claire Diehl.



THE CHRISTMAS STORE FOR HOLIDAY SHOPPERS

This store will
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until Xmas.

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Don't fail to see the
large Bisque \$2.00
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Special for this week
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EVERYBODY'S coming to the Big Store to do their Christmas Shopping. "Why?" Because we have the Largest Selection of distinctive, inexpensive Gifts as low priced as anywhere. More elaborate tokens that can hardly be duplicated anywhere.

Gift Umbrellas

We have taken special pains in selecting our stock of Umbrellas for Christmas and are offering the best values obtainable in the market. All new designed handles and special quality cloth.

26 in. for ladies, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75 up to \$4.50.
28 in. for men, \$1.00, \$1.25 up to \$3.75.

Table Linens with Napkins to Match Make Useful Gifts

Nowhere in the county will you find a more complete line to make your selection from. We are showing the latest designs at most reasonable prices.

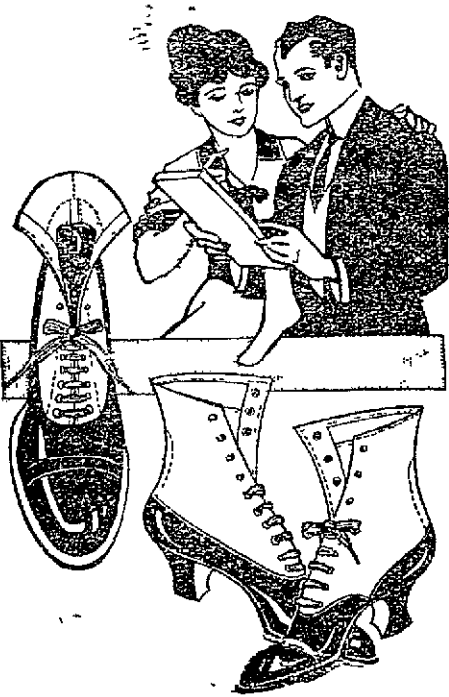
72 in. All Linen Bleached Damask..... \$1.40
56 in. All Linen Bleached Damask..... \$1.25
67 in. All Linen Bleached Damask..... .75
70 in. All Linen Bleached Damask..... \$1.00
Napkins to match these patterns.

BLANKETS For Household Gifts

Plain and Fancy Colored Plaids, large sizes.
Wool Nap Plaid Blankets, special.... \$2.19 Pair
All Wool Plain and Plaids, Ex. Heavy \$5.00 Pair
Cotton Blankets, full size, White, Gray and Tan, per pair \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.40.

Our Big Assortment of Dolls For the Little Girls

Every little girl wants a Doll from Santa. Nothing will please her better. We are showing the largest assortment of Dolls ever brought to this section. Space only permits us to quote you just a few of this large stock.
Dressed Dolls, 25c and 50c.
Character Dolls, \$1.25, \$1.75 up to \$3.00.
Large Bisque Doll, regular price \$2.00, special \$1.19.



New Toilet Sets for Xmas

French Ivory 3-piece Toilet Set—Comb, Brush and Mirror in cloth lined box..... \$3.75.
White Manicure Set, (Chamoise Buffer, Cuticle Knife, Button Hook, Nail File, 3 1/2-in. Scissors, covered Salve Box), in neatly lined box..... \$1.25 and \$2.00
Travelers Toilet Set in rolled Leather Cases, per set..... \$2.00 to \$5.00
Tourists Writing Tablets, leather covered, with Tablet, Pencil or Pen Holder, 65c, \$1.25, \$2.00 to \$3.25

Silk Hose for Xmas

The Famous Quaker Made Hosiery is known all over the land and is acknowledged to be one of the best for Durability. For Christmas we have filled our shelves to overflowing with this excellent line in all weights, sizes and kinds.
Black and colored silk, 25c, 50c, \$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.50.
Silk Lisle 25c and 35c.
Ladies' and Children's Cotton Hose, 10, 12 1/2 and 15c.

Fancy White Aprons Put Up One in a Box for Xmas

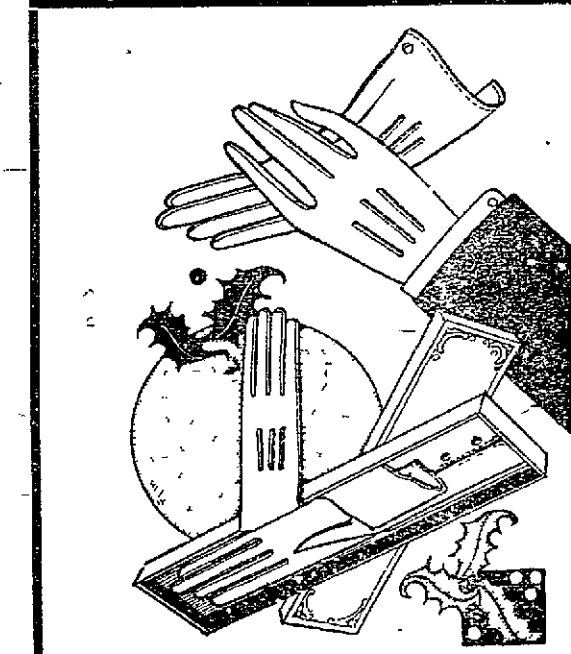
Twenty different styles, made of fine White Lawn, Lace and Ribbon trimmed. Nothing more useful for a gift than one of these handsome designed aprons. Prices within reach of everybody, 25c and 50c each.

Why Not a Coat, Suit or Dress for a Gift

Right now is the time to make your selection of either while our stock has just been replenished. New shipment of Coats, Suits and Dresses just in. The low prices we are quoting will astonish you when you see the Quality and Workmanship of these Handsome Garments. Don't fail to visit this Department on second floor.

China Dishes in Xmas Boxes

10-in. Austrian China Dish in fancy box, regular price for dish, 50c; our price for Christmas, 35c.
10-in. China Plate, twelve different colorings, put up in Christmas box; special at 35c.



All Linen Damask Towels

Never have we been able to show such a beautiful line of Damask Towels before; however, we were fortunate to secure these early in the season and by so doing we have saved you at least 25%.
22 x 40 in. Bleached Damask Towel designed for initial..... 50c, 65c, \$1.00 each.
22 x 40 in. Huck Linen Towels, extra quality, 25c, 50c, 75c, \$1.00 each.

The Newest Creation Just In for Xmas Gifts

Novelty Collars made of plain Organdie, Lace and Embroidery Trimmed, 25c, 35c and 50c each.
Boudoir Cuffs made of Net and Silk, beautiful styles, 25c and 50c each.
Head Scarfs in an endless variety of styles, special for the holidays, 50c, 65c, \$1.00.

Fur Sets for the Holidays

Our stock consists of everything that is good in Women's, Misses' and Children's Fur Sets in a wide range of styles and colors at popular prices. We invite your inspection of this line of merchandise as we feel safe in saying we can save you 20 per cent. on your Fur purchases. Special prices for Holiday shoppers. Display second floor.

Kimonos for Christmas

Flannelette Kimonos in beautiful designs, silk trimmed, made in the latest fashion, put up in fancy Christmas box, \$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.50 each.
Silk Kimonos in all colors, handsomely trimmed, each in Christmas box \$4.50 and \$5.00.

GIFT SUGGESTIONS

Handkerchiefs
Neckwear
Pin Cushions
Manicure Sets
Stationery
China Dishes
Aluminum Ware

Ladies Silk Hose
Ladies' Hand Bags
Men's Dress Shirts
Men's Suspenders
Men's Silk Hose
Men's Silk Ties

Silk and Flannelette Kimonos
Fancy Ivory Clocks
Jewelry
Suit Case, Trunk or Bag
Toilet Sets
Toilet Sets

Perfumes and Toilet Waters
Writing Pads
Table Linen and Napkins
Dolls
Pictures
Bed Room Slippers

Fancy Aprons
Books for Boys and Girls
Coat or Suit
Kid Gloves
Blankets and Comforts
Men's Tie and Hose Sets

Comb and Brush Sets
Underwear
Rain Coats and Capes for Gals
Travelers Sets
Cut Glass
Shoes for all the Family
Umbrellas

Our Grocery Department is filled with Fresh Groceries for the Holidays, Nuts, Oranges, Candies, Citron, New Orleans Molasses, Fresh Spices, XXXX Powdered Sugar, New Pack Can Goods, Fresh Pack Prunes, Peaches and Apricots, in fact everything for the table at attractive prices.

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For Sale—My house and lot in Fishertown. S. A. Hammaker. 13N11

Found—Sum of money in Murdoch's Jewelry Store Saturday, December 12. Owner please call.

DRESSMAKING

Have opened a room at 116 South Richard Street and am prepared to do all kinds of dressmaking. Prices reasonable. MARY ATWELL.

The Gazette, \$1.50 a year to all

Wanted—A second-hand motor cycle, in good condition. Will pay cash for same. Address P. O. Box 476, Everett, Pa. 11 Dec. 31.

For Rent—Farm containing 200 acres, located one mile west of Bedford on the Poorhouse Road. Calvin Otto, Bedford. 11 Dec 2-t-s.

Lost—Small gold filagree bar pin, marked "H. B." on one edge and "1911" on the other. Finder please return to Gazette Office and receive reward.

For Rent—Six rooms completely furnished, from January 1 to April 1. Call on or address Miss J. Constance Tate, 215 South Juliana Street, Bedford. 11 Dec. 4t.

For Sale—The H. L. Williams property near Hyndman. Forty acres of land and good seven-room house. For particulars write Mrs. E. Mills, Bedford, Pa. 11 Dec. 2t.

Lost—Between my office and P. R. R. Station, chain for automobile wheel. Finder please return and receive reward. John P. Cuppett.

For Sale—The Covatt property at the southwest corner of Pitt and Richard Streets, 20 feet 10 inches by 90 feet; store room and flat; access to flat by common stairway on Pitt Street; possession given April 1, 1915. Apply to George Points, Attorney for A. Covatt Heirs. 11Dec3t

FOR SALE

One 16 H. P., Frick traction engine and saw mill. Mill has 52 in. inserted tooth, Simonds, saw. One cut off saw; one Ireland patented shingle mill; one heavy wagon to use with engine; galvanized roof with mill. Used three years and in excellent condition. Will sell at a bargain. Reason for selling, is my age and no help. J. M. HOUSEL. Dec. 11, 3t. New Buena Vista, Pa.

ADMINISTRATRIX NOTICE

[Estate of John Lutz, late of Bedford Borough, Bedford County, Pa., deceased.]

Letters of administration on the above estate having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to the said estate are requested to make prompt payment, and those having claims to present the same without delay to

HARRIET W. LUTZ,
Administratrix,
304 S. Richard St., Bedford, Pa.
B. F. MADORE, Atty. 18 Dec. 6t.

NOTICE

My wife, Elizabeth A. Little, having refused to live with me, the public is hereby notified that I will not be responsible for any debts which she may contract.
11 Dec. 2t. THOMAS A. LITTLE.

PROMPT SETTLEMENTS COUNT

Bedford, Pa., October 4, 1914.
Mr. J. Roy Cessna,
Real Estate and Insurance,
Bedford, Pa.

Dear Sir:—Check in full settlement of my loss by fire has been received. I appreciate the prompt and satisfactory manner in which you handled this matter.

Yours truly,
(Signed) SARAH SMITH.

Bedford, Pa., October 4, 1914.
Mr. J. Roy Cessna,
Real Estate and Insurance,
Bedford, Pa.

Dear Sir:—I wish to thank you for your prompt attention to the adjustment and payment of my recent fire loss, in the burning of our barn and garage.
Yours truly,
(Signed) ED. D. HECKERMAN.

See Dull's Candy Stock for Xmas Advertisement

In re Estate of Irvin Browning, late of Southampton Township, deceased.

In the Orphans' Court of Bedford County, Pa. In Partition.

To Walter M. Browning, residing in Republic, Washington, and John C. Filler, present residence unknown, and last heard from in St. Louis, Mo., about two years ago: You will take notice that the inquest in partition in above estate was confirmed on November 9, 1914, and a rule was granted upon all parties in interest to appear in open court on Monday, January 18, 1915, at 1:30 o'clock p. m., to accept or refuse said real estate at the valuation, or to show cause why the same should not be sold.
A. S. GUYER,

Clerk of the Orphans' Court.
Dec. 11, 4t.

Xmas tags, seals and booklets at Dull's—Adv.